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EXPLANATION OF INITIALS USED IN THE REPORT.

A.N.A.	Australian Natives' Association.
A.O.F.	Ancient Order of Foresters.
A.O.S.	Melbourne District Ancient Order of Shepherds Friendly Society.
C.M.P.S.	Congregational Ministers' Provident Society of Victoria.
G.S.R.S.	German Sick and Relief Society.
G.U.O.F.G.	Grand United Order of Free Gardeners of Australasia.
G.U.O.O.F.	Grand United Order of Odd Fellows.
H.A.C.B.S.	Hibernian-Australasian Catholic Benefit Society.
I.N.F.B.S.	Irish National Foresters Benefit Society.
I.O.O.F.	Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Victoria.
I.O.R.	Victoria District Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society.
M.T.B.S.	Mutual Benefit Society of the Employés of the Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus Company Limited.
M.U.I.O.O.F.	Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Victoria.
O.S.T.	Order of Sons of Temperance Friendly Society.
O.St.A.	Order of St. Andrew.
O.St.A., S.C.	Order of St. Andrew, Scottish Constitution.
P.A.F.S.	Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia in Victoria.
St.M.T.A.B.S.	St. Mary's Australasian Total Abstinence Benefit Society.
St.P.S.	St. Patrick's Society.
U.A.O.D.	United Ancient Order of Druids.
U.L.F.S.	United Labourers' Friendly Society.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

1. In accordance with the provisions of the *Friendly Societies Act* 1877 (41 Vict. No. 590, sect. 9), the Government Statist submits his Eleventh Annual Report on the proceedings and principal matters transacted by him in connexion with Friendly Societies, and upon the valuations of Friendly Societies returned to or caused to be made by him during the year 1888. Report.

Proceedings during the Year.

2. Towards the close of the year 1887 about 6,000 forms, to contain the information the Friendly Societies Act requires every registered society to furnish annually to the Government Statist, were sent to the central bodies for the use of every branch in Victoria; these forms, having been filled up by the secretaries, were forwarded to the Government Statist during 1888; on their reception they were carefully examined, and, when the entries were found to be defective, erroneous, mutually inconsistent, or illegal, were sent back for correction; the particulars relating to each branch were then tabulated and subsequently printed in detail in Appendix D to the Tenth Annual Report, and a compendium thereof was given in the Summary Tables of Appendix C. For the purpose of collecting the returns for the year 1888, the necessary number of forms were similarly despatched to the societies at the close of the year. The information which had been supplied by the secretaries as to the sickness, mortality, entries, and exits of the members for the year 1887 were also copied during the year into the cards (whereof there are now in the office over 110,000) appropriated to keeping a record of the experience of the societies. Proceedings, 1888.

3. All fees received by the Government Statist in connexion with Friendly Societies are for services performed by the Departmental Actuary. The amounts are paid in stamps, and no portion is retained by the actuary or any other officer for his own use. The services alluded to are:—(1) Valuing the assets and liabilities of Friendly Societies; (2) Certifying to the rates of contributions by members; (3) Preparing tables of contributions. Fees, 1881–1888.

4. The following is a statement of the fees received by the Government Statist in each year since the regulations for their reception were first gazetted :—

Fees Received from Friendly Societies, 1881 to 1888.

Year.	Amounts received for—			Total Fees Received.
	Valuations.	Certifying to Rates of Contributions.	Preparing Tables of Contributions.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1881 ...	0 16 8	...	...	0 16 8
1882 ...	538 17 5	...	...	538 17 5
1883 ...	73 0 0	...	...	73 0 0
1884 ...	35 0 9	...	42 0 0	77 0 9
1885 ...	4 16 4	11 3 6	6 6 0	22 5 10
1886 ...	173 18 6	6 11 6	32 3 0	212 13 0
1887 ...	331 9 11	4 12 0	10 10 0	346 11 11
1888 ...	126 11 9	6 11 6	...	133 3 3
Total ...	1,284 11 4	28 18 6	90 19 0	1,404 8 10

5. The correspondence between the Office of the Government Statist and Friendly Societies was as follows in each of the ten years ended with 1888 :— Correspondence 1879–1888.

Number of Letters and Circulars, etc., 1879 to 1888.

	Inwards.	Outwards.		Inwards.	Outwards.
1879 ...	1,239	1,630	1884 ...	2,513	3,130
1880 ...	3,500	2,425	1885 ...	2,602	3,519
1881 ...	2,425	3,120	1886 ...	2,662	3,538
1882 ...	2,200	3,250	1887 ...	2,697	3,610
1883 ...	2,460	3,450	1888 ...	2,595	3,500

The Valuations.

Valuations.

6. The valuations in detail of five Friendly Societies, comprising 110 branches, and containing 9,832 members, are given in Appendix A to this Report. This being the second occasion which these societies have, in compliance with the provisions of the *Friendly Societies Act* 1877, submitted their affairs to the test of an investigation at the hands of the actuary attached to this office, an opportunity is given of ascertaining their financial position at the beginning and end of a quinquennial period, and of noting what progress has been made by each society, absolutely and relatively, during the interval. In order to institute this comparison the more readily, the figures brought out in the first valuation have, in the following table, been placed by the side of those relating to the second, the particulars in respect to the societies similarly published last year being also given :—

Branches and members in societies twice valued.

The Number of Branches and of Members, with the Average Age and Average Duration of Membership of the latter, also the Number of Registered Wives at the First and Second Valuation of each Society which has been twice Valued.

Society.	Number of Branches.		Members— Number.		Members— Average Age.		Members— Average Duration of Membership.		Number of Registered Wives.	
	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.
M.U.I.O.O.F.—					yrs.	yrs.	yrs.	yrs.		
Port Phillip District	38	47	4,099	5,244	36	35¾	9	9½	2,505	2,917
Bendigo District	14	13	1,713	2,060	37¾	37¼	9¾	10¾	1,186	1,242
Castlemaine District	22	19	1,436	1,552	38½	39½	10½	12¼	937	981
Ballarat District	17	17	1,443	1,334	38¾	39¾	10½	12	1,036	865
South Melbourne District	9	9	1,075	1,261	36	37¼	8½	10	728	838
Collingwood District	7	9	994	1,164	38	38	10¾	11½	660	681
Ovens and Murray District	9	14	405	611	37	35	8¾	8	250	275
Talbot District	4	5	197	404	40	40¾	11¼	13	144	293
Corio District	5	4	328	396	42	41	13½	12¾	244	235
Wimmera District	5	7	368	387	36¾	38¼	7½	9	244	253
Warrnambool District	3	4	262	298	34¾	36¼	8¾	10½	161	175
Hamilton District	7	6	214	240	34	34	6½	7½	144	133
Port Fairy District	6	5	262	235	35¾	39¼	8¼	11½	153	120
The whole Order	146	159	12,796	15,186	37	37¼	9½	10	8,392	9,008
U.A.O.D.	48	72	3,456	5,939	33½	32¾	4¾	5	2,171	3,333
I.O.R.	140	136	5,293	5,716	34½	35	5½	8½	434	622
I.O.O.F.	42	53	3,807	4,711	33½	34½	4½	6	2,141	3,072
St.P.S.—										
Melbourne District	6	7	433	535	39½	39	9	10¼	334	309
A.O.F.—										
Court Unity	1	1	224	187	48¼	53	15¼	20¼	194	158
Court Ararat	1	1	51	49	42½	46	10½	14	45	42
Melbourne District	73	76	6,273	8,223	40¾	38¼	11¼	11	4,624	5,146
Portland „	7	6	472	435	41	44¾	12	15¾	354	310
Ovens and Murray District	5	6	209	220	38	39	8¾	10¾	178	249
G.U.O.F.G.	13	16	583	646	35¼	36¾	4¾	6½	394	430
O.St.A.,S.C.	7	6	322	308	45½	47¾	8½	11¼	225	188
Total	489	539	33,919	42,155	...	...	...	...	19,486	22,867

Note.—An interval of about five years elapsed between the completion of the first and second valuation.

7. It will be noticed that in the societies included in the table the number of branches has increased in five years from 489 to 539, or by 50; the membership from 33,919 to 42,155, or by 8,236; also that with respect to individual societies, the U.A.O.D. has increased in membership by 72 per cent., the Melbourne District A.O.F. by 31 per cent., the I.O.O.F. and the Melbourne District St.P.S. by 24 per cent., the M.U.I.O.O.F. by 18 per cent., the G.U.O.F.G. by 11 per cent., and the I.O.R. by 8 per cent.

Valuation balance-sheets of societies twice valued.

8. The subjoined table shows the financial position of the Sick and Funeral Funds of the several societies which have been twice valued, at the first and second valuation, the elements which compose the debtor and creditor side of the valuation balance-sheets relatively to the number of members being also given :—

The Valuation Balance-Sheets, together with the Liabilities, Value of Contributions, Capital, Assets, and Deficiency (or Surplus) per Member at the First and Second Valuations in each Society which has been twice Valued.

Society.	Valuation Balance-Sheet, First Valuation.							Valuation Balance-Sheet, Second Valuation.						
	Liabilities.			Assets.			Deficiency.	Liabilities.			Assets.			Deficiency.
	Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.		Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.	(Surplus+)
	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
M.U.I.O.O.F.	...	...	492,949 0	217,113 0	178,881 0	395,994 0	96,955 0	...	...	641,755 0	320,167 0	226,375 0	546,542 0	95,213 0
Per member ...	...	...	38 10	16 19	14 0	30 19	7 11	...	...	42 5	21 2	14 18	36 0	6 5
U.A.O.D.	87,798 0	20,178 0	107,976 0	60,596 0	16,312 0	76,908 0	31,068 0	135,477 0	33,061 0	168,538 0	110,629 0	38,651 0	149,280 0	19,258 0
Per member ...	25 8	5 17	31 5	17 11	4 14	22 5	9 0	22 16	5 11	28 7	18 13	6 10	25 3	3 4
I.O.R.	165,029 0	28,076 0	193,105 0	111,035 0	56,447 0	167,482 0	25,623 0	175,173 0	31,812 0	206,985 0	129,615 0	79,404 0	209,019 0	+2,034 0
Per member ...	31 13	5 8	37 1	21 6	10 17	32 3	4 18	31 3	5 13	36 16	23 1	14 2	37 3	+0 7
I.O.O.F.	90,876 0	23,514 0	114,390 0	77,108 0	21,778 0	98,886 0	15,504 0	118,497 0	30,997 0	149,494 0	105,602 0	45,117 0	150,719 0	+1,225 0
Per member ...	23 17	6 4	30 1	20 5	5 14	25 19	4 2	25 3	6 12	31 15	22 8	9 12	32 0	+0 5
St.P.S.—														
Melbourne District	14,517 6	3,764 0	18,281 0	8,804 0	7,330 0	16,134 0	2,147 0	16,843 0	4,173 0	21,016 0	13,356 0	9,536 0	22,892 0	+1,876 0
Per member ...	33 10	8 14	42 4	20 6	16 19	37 5	4 19	31 10	7 16	39 6	25 0	17 16	42 16	+3 10
A.O.F.—														
Court Unity ...	...	...	9,500 0	4,551 0	4,600 0	9,151 0	349 0	...	...	9,566 0	3,782 0	5,592 0	9,374 0	192 0
Per member ...	...	...	42 8	20 6	20 11	40 17	1 11	...	...	51 3	20 4	29 18	50 2	1 1
Court Ararat ...	1,272 0	425 0	1,697 0	787 0	703 0	1,490 0	207 0	1,601 0	519 0	2,120 0	986 0	952 0	1,938 0	182 0
Per member ...	24 19	8 6	33 5	15 9	13 15	29 4	4 1	32 14	10 11	43 5	20 2	19 9	39 11	3 14
Melbourne District	179,527 0	56,265 0	235,792 0	106,697 0	54,973 0	161,670 0	74,122 0	226,062 0	89,447 0	315,509 0	155,462 0	69,476 0	224,938 0	90,571 0
Per member ...	28 12	8 19	37 11	17 0	8 15	25 15	11 16	27 10	10 17	38 7	18 18	8 9	27 7	11 0
Portland District ...	15,536 0	4,978 0	20,514 0	9,173 0	6,799 0	15,972 0	4,542 0	16,058 0	5,159 0	21,217 0	8,197 0	8,424 0	16,621 0	4,596 0
Per member ...	32 18	10 11	43 9	19 8	14 9	33 17	9 12	36 18	11 17	48 15	18 17	19 7	38 4	10 11
Ovens & Murray Dist.	5,977 0	3,010 0	8,987 0	4,392 0	2,733 0	7,125 0	1,862 0	6,776 0	4,085 0	10,861 0	5,178 0	3,952 0	9,130 0	1,731 0
Per member ...	28 12	14 8	43 0	21 0	13 2	34 2	8 18	30 16	18 11	49 7	23 11	17 19	41 10	7 17
G.U.O.F.G.	...	...	24,569 0	11,573 0	3,130 0	14,703 0	9,866 0	...	...	27,153 0	14,712 0	5,431 0	20,143 0	7,010 0
Per member ...	...	...	42 3	19 17	5 8	25 5	16 18	...	...	42 0	22 15	8 8	31 3	10 17
O.St.A.,S.C.	12,022 0	3,675 0	15,697 0	6,352 0	2,797 0	9,149 0	6,548 0	10,947 0	3,591 0	14,538 0	5,637 0	3,497 0	9,134 0	5,404 0
Per member ...	37 7	11 8	48 15	19 15	8 13	28 8	20 7	35 11	11 13	47 4	18 7	11 7	29 13	17 11
Total	...	...	1,243,457 0	618,181 0	356,483 0	974,664 0	268,793 0	...	...	1,588,752 0	873,323 0	496,407 0	1,369,730 0	219,022 0
Per member ...	...	...	36 12	18 5	10 10	28 15	7 17	...	...	37 14	20 14	11 16	32 10	5 4

Note.—An interval of about five years elapsed between the completion of the first and second valuation.

9. On making a comparison between the position at the first and second valuation of the societies contained in the above table, the following results are obtained :—The liabilities relatively to the membership have increased in the M.U.I.O.O.F., the I.O.O.F., Courts Unity and Ararat, and the Melbourne, Portland, and Ovens and Murray Districts A.O.F., and in all the societies taken together, but the liabilities per member have decreased in the U.A.O.D., the I.O.R., the St. P.S., Melbourne District, the G.U.O.F.G., and the O.St.A., S.C., while the assets have increased in all the societies mentioned. The deficiency has been changed to a surplus in the I.O.R., the I.O.O.F., and the St.P.S., Melbourne District, and the deficiency per member has been increased in the Portland District A.O.F., and reduced in the remaining societies.

10. In the societies included in the above table, the liabilities taken in the aggregate have increased at the second valuation compared with the first from £1,244,000 to £1,589,000, or by £345,000, being relatively to the membership at the respective periods, an increase of £1 2s. ; the contributions have increased in value from £618,000 to £873,000, or by £255,000, equal to £2 9s. per member; the accumulated funds have increased from £356,000 to £496,000, that is, by £140,000, equivalent to an increase of £1 6s. per member; the final result being that the total deficiency of the above-named societies has decreased by £50,000, or from £7 17s. to £5 4s. per member.

11. The average rate of interest, it will be noticed on referring to the table following paragraph 13, *post*, was higher at the end than at the beginning of the quinquennium in the U.A.O.D., I.O.R., St.P.S., Melbourne District, and O.St.A.,S.C. ; it remained unaltered in the M.U.I.O.O.F., Court Unity, and Portland District, A.O.F., and G.U.O.F.G.; and it was lower in the I.O.O.F., Court Ararat, and Melbourne and Ovens and Murray Districts A.O.F. The ratio of assets to liabilities is shown to be greater at the second than at the first valuation in each of the societies named in the table. The value of the contributions relatively to the liabilities remained unaltered in Court Ararat A.O.F., it decreased in Court Unity, and Portland and Ovens and Murray Districts A.O.F., and the O.St.A.,S.C., and it increased in the remaining societies. The capital has increased more quickly than the indebtedness in all the societies included in the table, except the M.U.I.O.O.F. and the Melbourne District A.O.F.

Improvement in financial position of societies twice valued.

12. The final result of the comparison of the second with the first valuation is that the condition of the assets with reference to the liabilities has been improved in the—

			s.	d.		
Melbourne District, St.P.S.,	to the extent of		4	2	in the	£
U.A.O.D.	,,	,,	3	6	,,	
I.O.R.	,,	,,	2	10	,,	
I.O.O.F.	,,	,,	2	10	,,	
G.U.O.F.G.	,,	,,	2	10	,,	
M.U.I.O.O.F.	,,	,,	1	0	,,	
Ovens and Murray Dt. A.O.F.	,,	,,	0	11	,,	
O.St.A., S.C.	,,	,,	0	11	,,	
Court Ararat, A.O.F.	,,	,,	0	9	,,	
Melbourne District, A.O.F.	,,	,,	0	6	,,	
Court Unity, A.O.F.	,,	,,	0	4	,,	
Portland District, A.O.F.	,,	,,	0	1	,,	

Average rate of interest and proportion of assets to liabilities in societies twice valued.

13. The following table contains comparisons of the financial position at the first and second valuation of the several societies mentioned, on the basis of the value of the contributions and capital relatively to the value of the liabilities, and of the annual returns from investments on the average of the five years preceding the valuation in each case.

THE QUINQUENNIAL AVERAGE RATE OF INTEREST, THE RATIO PER £ TO LIABILITIES OF THE VALUE OF MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS, CAPITAL, ASSETS, AND DEFICIENCY (OR SURPLUS), AT THE FIRST AND SECOND VALUATION IN EACH SOCIETY VALUED A SECOND TIME.

Society.	Average Rate of Interest.		Ratio to Liabilities per £—								Deficiency less in 2nd than in 1st Valuation (or Surplus + greater) by—
			In First Valuation of the—				In Second Valuation of the—				
	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	Deficiency (Surplus +).	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	Deficiency (Surplus +).	
	%	%	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
M.U.I.O.O.F.—											
Port Phillip District	4¼	4½	9 3	7 6	16 9	3 3	10 9	7 5	18 2	1 10	1 5
Bendigo ,,	4¾	4½	8 8	4 0	12 8	7 4	9 10	3 4	13 2	6 10	0 6
Castlemaine ,,	3¾	4¼	8 2	6 9	14 11	5 1	9 2	6 3	15 5	4 7	0 6
Ballarat ,,	5¼	5	8 7	10 0	18 7	1 5	9 3	10 5	19 8	0 4	1 1
South Melbourne ,,	4¾	5¾	9 7	7 5	17 0	3 0	10 8	7 10	18 6	1 6	1 6
Collingwood ,,	5	6	8 6	9 0	17 6	2 6	9 2	9 9	18 11	1 1	1 5
Ovens and Murray ,,	4	3¾	9 2	6 8	15 10	4 2	10 8	5 6	16 2	3 10	0 4
Talbot ,,	5½	5½	7 7	5 4	12 11	7 1	8 8	4 5	13 1	6 11	0 2
Corio ,,	4½	4¼	7 3	10 5	17 8	2 4	9 0	10 6	19 6	0 6	1 10
Wimmera ,,	3¾	3¾	8 9	4 5	13 2	6 10	10 1	4 5	14 6	5 6	1 4
Warrnambool ,,	4¼	4	8 0	4 3	12 3	7 9	9 6	4 5	13 11	6 1	1 8
Hamilton ,,	2¾	3¼	9 7	8 2	17 9	2 3	11 5	9 7	21 0	+1 0	+3 3
Port Fairy ,,	3¾	4½	9 11	11 1	21 0	+1 0	9 5	13 7	23 0	+3 0	+2 0
Total of M.U.I.O.O.F.	4½	4½	8 10	7 3	16 1	3 11	10 0	7 1	17 1	2 11	
											1 0
U.A.O.D.	3¼	4	11 3	3 0	14 3	5 9	13 2	4 7	17 9	2 3	3 6
I.O.R.	3½	4¼	11 6	5 10	17 4	2 8	12 6	7 8	20 2	+0 2	+2 10
I.O.O.F.	5	4	13 6	3 10	17 4	2 8	14 2	6 0	20 2	+0 2	+2 10
St.P.S.—											
Melbourne District ...	2¼	3	9 8	8 0	17 8	2 4	12 9	9 1	21 10	+1 10	+4 2
A.O.F.—											
Court Unity	6½	6½	9 7	9 8	19 3	0 9	7 11	11 8	19 7	0 5	0 4
Court Ararat	6¼	5¼	9 4	8 3	17 7	2 5	9 4	9 0	18 4	1 8	0 9
Melbourne District	5	4¾	9 1	4 8	13 9	6 3	9 10	4 5	14 3	5 9	0 6
Portland ,,	4¼	4¼	8 11	6 8	15 7	4 5	7 9	7 11	15 8	4 4	0 1
Ovens and Murray ,,	4½	3¼	9 10	6 1	15 11	4 1	9 7	7 3	16 10	3 2	0 11
G.U.O.F.G.	3	3	9 5	2 7	12 0	8 0	10 10	4 0	14 10	5 2	2 10
O.St.A., S.C.	2½	4¼	8 1	3 7	11 8	8 4	7 9	4 10	12 7	7 5	0 11
Total	...	...	9 10	5 10	15 8	4 4	11 0	6 3	17 3	2 9	1 7

NOTE.—An interval of about five years elapsed between the completion of the first and second valuation.

Branches having a deficiency or a surplus at first and second valuation.

14. The number of branches in each twice-valued society having, at the first and second valuation respectively, a deficiency, and the number having a surplus, including the District or Grand Lodge Funeral Fund as a distinct branch, the number of members they severally contained, and the amount of the deficiency or surplus, is shown in the subjoined table :—

THE NUMBER OF BRANCHES HAVING A DEFICIENCY, AND THE NUMBER HAVING A SURPLUS, THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS THEREIN, AND THE AMOUNT OF SUCH DEFICIENCY OR SURPLUS, AT THE FIRST AND SECOND VALUATION OF EACH SOCIETY WHICH HAS BEEN TWICE VALUED.

Society.	Branches having a—											
	Deficiency.						Surplus.					
	Number of Branches.		Number of Members.		Amount.		Number of Branches.		Number of Members.		Amount.	
	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.	First Valuation.	Second Valuation.
					£	£					£	£
M.U.I.O.O.F.—												
Port Phillip District	32	39	3,164	3,920	24,776	30,418	6	8	935	1,324	4,620	10,949
Bendigo ,,	12	12	1,670	2,057	22,225	31,753	2	1	43	3	216	311
Castlemaine ,,	20	17	1,307	1,399	16,478	20,949	2	2	129	153	3,182	4,128
Ballarat ,,	9	11	644	938	5,516	3,962	8	6	799	396	3,584	2,802
South Melbourne ,,	6	6	642	921	6,016	6,422	3	3	433	340	1,567	2,822
Collingwood ,,	5	7	643	751	6,165	5,377	2	2	351	413	2,309	2,763
Ovens and Murray ,,	7	11	358	558	3,487	6,717	2	3	47	53	329	892
Talbot ,,	4	5	197	404	2,790	6,331	...	...	...	...	...	...
Corio ,,	4	3	152	202	1,501	1,124	1	1	176	194	180	594
Wimmera ,,	4	6	319	324	4,613	5,184	1	1	49	63	429	480
Warrnambool ,,	3	4	262	298	4,485	4,631	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamilton ,,	6	5	148	184	1,433	1,087	1	1	66	56	797	1,561
Port Fairy ,,	3	3	133	91	507	231	3	2	129	144	1,257	1,671
Total of M.U.I.O.O.F.	115	129	9,639	12,047	99,992	124,186	31	30	3,157	3,139	18,470	28,973

THE NUMBER OF BRANCHES HAVING A DEFICIENCY, SURPLUS, ETC.—*continued.*

Society.	Branches having a— Deficiency. Number of Branches. First Valuation.	Number of Branches. Second Valuation.	Number of Members. First Valuation.	Number of Members. Second Valuation.	Amount. First Valuation.	Amount. Second Valuation.	Surplus. Number of Branches. First Valuation.	Number of Branches. Second Valuation.	Number of Members. First Valuation.	Number of Members. Second Valuation.	Amount. First Valuation.	Amount. Second Valuation.
					£	£					£	£
U.A.O.D.	49	65	3,456	5,150	31,068	23,302	...	8	...	789	...	4,044
I.O.R.	95	70	3,382	2,357	40,446	26,527	46	67	1,911	3,359	14,823	28,561
I.O.O.F.	35	39	3,326	3,352	19,134	15,260	8	15	481	1,359	3,630	16,485
St.P.S.—												
Melbourne District ...	7	4	433	176	2,147	871	...	4	...	359	...	2,747
A.O.F.—												
Court Unity	1	1	224	187	349	192	...	...	...	...	...	...
Court Ararat	1	1	51	49	207	182	...	...	...	...	...	...
Melbourne District	64	60	5,786	6,971	76,262	96,077	10	17	487	1,252	2,140	5,506
Portland „	5	5	353	326	5,342	5,707	3	2	119	109	800	1,111
Ovens and Murray „	6	6	209	216	1,862	1,786	...	1	...	4	...	55
G.U.O.F.G.	13	15	583	618	9,866	7,741	...	1	...	28	...	731
O.St.A., S.C.	8	7	322	308	6,548	5,404	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	399	402	27,764	31,757	293,223	307,235	98	145	6,155	10,398	39,863	88,213

SOCIETIES WHICH HAVE INCREASED THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS SINCE THEIR VALUATION.

Societies which have increased their contributions.

15. The following is a list of the societies which have increased the payments of members to the Sick and Funeral Fund in consequence of the valuations having shown the insufficiency of their contributions to provide the benefits. The societies being placed in order according to the extent of the improvement in respect to both future and existing members :—

SOCIETIES WHICH HAVE INCREASED THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS SINCE THE VALUATION, THE NUMBER OF BRANCHES AND MEMBERS THEREIN, AND THE AMOUNT OF THE INCREASE IN RESPECT OF EXISTING AND FUTURE MEMBERS.

Society.	At end of 1888, Number of— Branches.	Members.	Nature of the Increase of Contributions to the Sick and Funeral Fund in respect to— Members Initiated Prior to Registration of Amended Rules.	Members Initiated Subsequent to Registration of Amended Rules.
1. O.S.T., Melbourne Grand Division	23	1,320	Graduated scale, very little short of adequate, adopted	Graduated scale, very little short of adequate, adopted
2. M.U.I.O.O.F. ...	177	19,480	From 6d. per week to 7d. ...	Adequate graduated scale adopted
3. A.O.F., Bendigo District	11	1,148	From 6d. per week to $8\frac{3}{5}$d. at ages 16–35 From $6\frac{3}{4}$d. per week to $9\frac{3}{10}$d. at ages 35–38 From $7\frac{1}{2}$d. per week to $10\frac{1}{5}$d. at ages 38–40	Adequate graduated scale adopted
4. I.O.R.	159	8,582	From $6\frac{6}{13}$d. per week to $7\frac{5}{13}$d. ...	Adequate graduated scale adopted
5. O.St.A.	21	964	Small increase for ages 38 and over *	Adequate graduated scale adopted
6. A.O.F., Court Unity ...	1	187	Small increase for ages 35 and over	Adequate graduated scale adopted
7. St.P.S., Melbourne District	6	653	From $6\frac{12}{13}$d. per week to $8\frac{4}{13}$d.* ...	Adequate rates adopted
8. P.A.F.S.	25	1,504	„ $6\frac{6}{13}$d. „ 7d. ...	Adequate graduated scale adopted
9. A.N.A.	69	5,648	No increase	Adequate graduated scale adopted
10. O.S.T., Ballarat and Sandhurst Grand Division	18	631	No increase†	Graduated scale, very little short of adequate, adopted†
11. O.S.T., Victoria Grand Division	21	775	No increase	Improved graduated scale adopted
12. A.O.F., Court Ararat ...	1	49	$1\frac{1}{2}$d. per week increase at all ages	Improved graduated scale adopted
13. G.U.O.O.F.	56	4,254	From 6d. per week to $7\frac{1}{5}$d.	From 6d. per week at all ages to— $7\frac{1}{5}$d. at ages 16–25 $8\frac{2}{5}$d. „ 25–30 $9\frac{3}{5}$d. „ 30–35 $10\frac{4}{5}$d. „ 35–38 12d. „ 38–40 $14\frac{2}{5}$d. „ over 40
14. A.O.F., Portland District	6	468	No increase	From $7\frac{1}{2}$d. per week to 9d. at ages 30–35 From 9d. per week to $10\frac{1}{2}$d. at ages 35–38 From 12d. per week to $13\frac{1}{2}$d. at ages 38–40
15. I.O.O.F.	62	7,279	From $6\frac{12}{13}$d. per week to $7\frac{1}{2}$d. ...	From $6\frac{12}{13}$d. per week to $7\frac{1}{2}$d.
16. G.U.O.F.G.	18	1,125	„ 6d. „ 7d. ...	„ 6d. „ 7d.
17. U.A.O.D.	84	8,441	„ 6d. „ $6\frac{6}{13}$d. ...	„ 6d. „ $6\frac{6}{13}$d.
Total of the seventeen Societies	758	62,508		

* Also a reduction was made in the third rate of sick pay from 7s. per week in St.P.S., Melbourne District, and 6s. per week in O.St.A., during incapacity, to 5s. per week, during pleasure of the Branch Committee.

† Also a reduction was made in the rates of sick pay in respect to female members.

Societies which have not increased their Contributions since their Valuation.

16. The list of societies whose valuations showed that their contributions were inadequate to provide the Sick and Funeral benefits, but which have hitherto neglected to take any steps to improve their financial position is as follows :— Societies which have not increased their contributions.

Societies whose Contributions have been shown to be Inadequate which have not Increased Members' Payments since the Valuation, and the Number of Branches and Members therein.

Society.	Number, at end of 1888, of—	
	Branches.	Members.
A.O.F., Melbourne District	78	9,718
„ Ballarat „	9	405
„ Geelong and Western „	6	358
„ Ovens and Murray „	6	251
„ Grenville District „	3	105
„ Warrnambool „	2	107
„ Court Amherst	1	26
H.A.C.B.S.	49	4,038
O.St.A., S.C.	6	324
St.P.S., Geelong and Western District	1	191
G.S.R.S.	1	173
St.M.T.A.B.S.	1	52
A.O.S.	1	42
U.L.F.S.	1	35
Total of fourteen Societies...	165	15,825

Contributions and Benefits in all the Societies.

17. There are, strictly speaking, three funds in the societies wherefrom the several benefits are payable—(1) the Medical and Management Fund, generally but inaccurately termed the Incidental Fund; (2) the Sick Fund, and (3) the Funeral Fund. The Medical and Management Fund is employed to defray the cost of medical attendance and medicine to members, their wives, and children under 18 (a very important benefit), the expenditure incurred in managing the affairs of the branch and central body, and any incidental expenses which may be within the scope of the societies. This is therefore an annual fund, the liabilities whereof being in no way dependent on the ages of the members, the contributions thereto should be the same for all members, quite irrespective of age at entry. Appendix B. Division of contributions, and benefits.

18. The Sick and Funeral Funds, which may be united and form one fund, but which must be kept entirely separate and distinct from the Medical and Management Fund, can legally be used for no other purpose than the payment of the sickness allowances and funeral claims, including levies to the central body therefor; the expenditure in both the Sick and the Funeral Fund may, consequently, be expected to increase as members advance in age, the contributions thereto should therefore be commensurate at each age of entry with the prospective liability the society assumes in respect to each member.

19. In Appendix B is contained a table showing the initiation fees and annual contributions paid by members, the manner in which they are appropriated between the three funds, and the benefits afforded to members, together with all particulars in detail affecting contributions and benefits in the Victorian Friendly Societies. On comparing this table with that published in the Fifth Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies, 1882, a great improvement, as the result of the valuations, is observable in the rates of contributions adopted in a great majority of the societies, several having introduced, in respect to future members, adequate graduated scales of payments, in lieu of the uniform scales hitherto prevailing therein, and all, with the exception of those enumerated in paragraph 16 *ante*, have made some increase in the payments of members to the Sick and Funeral Fund.

20. This table will, it is believed, be found both useful and instructive to the members of the various societies. The Government Statist will be glad to be informed of any errors or omissions which may be noticed in the table, so that in future publications thereof the necessary corrections may be made.

The Condition and Progress of Friendly Societies in 1888 and 1883–87.

Appendix D.

Summary Tables Nos. I. to IV.

21. The summary tables of the several annual reports from 1878 to 1887 contained a statement of the membership and funds of the year more immediately dealt with, and also of each of the years that had elapsed since the *Friendly Societies Act* 1877 came into force in respect to the Sick and Funeral Funds and the Incidental Funds of each separate society in Victoria, an opportunity being thus afforded of instituting comparisons between the figures relating to such year and each of the preceding years subsequent to 1877. On the present occasion, the figures of the year 1888 and those of the quinquennial period 1883–87 are given in respect to each distinct society, in order that the year under review may be compared, not with either of the preceding years taken independently, but with the year which represents the average of the preceding five years taken together. These figures are given in Summary Tables I., II., III., IV., Appendix D.

Summary Tables Nos. V. to VIII.

22. The aggregate figures, however, of all the societies and of the Sick, Funeral, and Incidental Funds taken together for each of the eleven years 1878–88 are given in Summary Tables V., VI., VII., VIII., Appendix D.

Table No. I.—Branches, 1888.

Branches, 1883–87.

23. During 1888, 57 new branches were opened, 18 old branches were closed or amalgamated with other branches, the number at the beginning of the year, 891, being increased to 930 at the end. The number at the beginning of 1883–87 was 759, opened during the quinquennium 214, closed or amalgamated 82, being an annual average of 43 and 16 respectively.

Members, 1888 and 1883-87.

24. The number of members in the societies in 1888 and 1883–87, the number who joined, who died, and who left, and the annual increase in both periods were as under:—

—	Members.		Effective Members.	
	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.
At the beginning of the period	72,516	52,591	59,752	45,060
Admitted during the period—				
By initiation	13,071	54,703		
„ clearance	1,530			
Total	14,601	54,703		
Left during the period—				
By death	790	3,376		
„ clearance	1,261	31,402		
„ arrears, &c.	6,410			
Total	8,461	34,778		
Annual increase	6,140	3,985		
At the end of the period	78,656	72,516	64,222	59,752
Average number during the period	75,586	62,553	61,987	52,406
Percentage effective ...	...	...	82·01	83·78

Initiations and exclusions, 1888.

Admissions and departures, 1883–87.

25. During the year 1888, the number of new members initiated was equal to 18 per cent. of the members at the commencement of the year, and the number who left the societies through arrears, expulsion, and resignation was close upon 9 per cent., making a net increase of only 9 per cent., about half the increase from the accession of new members being thus lost by the retirement of old members. Previous to 1888, members who joined and left a branch by clearance were not distinguished from those who entered by initiation and those whose membership ceased altogether; comparisons in this particular between 1888 and the preceding quinquennium cannot therefore be properly instituted. All that can be stated is that during 1883–87 54,700 were admitted by initiation and clearance and 31,400 left by arrears, &c., and clearance, nearly 57½ per cent. of the accessions being thus apparently lost, while in 1888 the corresponding ratio is 52½ per cent. In the retention of members the year 1888, therefore, shows an improvement on the average of the preceding five years to the extent of 5 per cent.

Members effective, 1888 and 1883–87.

26. The number of members who were entitled to sick and funeral benefits, or effective, in 1888, were on the average 82 per cent. of the entire membership; during 1883–87, the effective members were nearly 84 per cent.; in respect to effectiveness the comparison is therefore against 1888 to the extent of nearly 2 per cent.

27. The amount of the funds, receipts, and expenditure of the Sick and Funeral Funds and the Incidental Funds, and, *in italic figures*, the amounts relatively to the members entitled to benefits, of the whole of the societies taken together in 1888 and 1883–87, are given in the subjoined balance-sheets:— Table No. II.—Receipts, expenditure, and funds of all the societies, 1888 and 1883–87.

	Sick and Funeral Funds.		Incidental Funds.	
	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.
	£	£	£	£
Funds at the beginning of the period	674,107	466,059	39,954	26,633
Per effective member, £ s. d.	11 5 8	10 6 10	0 13 5	0 11 10
Receipts during the period—				
Contributions	103,145	409,198	107,459	410,123
	1 13 3	1 11 3	1 14 8	1 11 4
Levies	426	4,309	3,908	47,851
	0 0 2	0 0 4	0 1 3	0 3 8
Entrance and clearance, &c., fees ...	2,438	15,828	5,643	25,315
	0 0 10	0 1 2	0 1 10	0 1 11
Interest	36,699	148,366	1,175	5,536
	0 11 10	0 11 4	0 0 5	0 0 5
Sundries	7,130	34,046	13,905	95,226
	0 2 3	0 2 7	0 4 6	0 7 3
Total	149,838	611,747	132,090	584,051
	2 8 4	2 6 8	2 2 8	2 4 7
Expenditure during the period—				
Sick pay	67,347	303,899	...	...
	1 1 9	1 3 2	...	...
Funeral claims	18,260	78,527	...	...
	0 5 11	0 6 0	...	...
Medical attendance and medicine ...	...	...	77,923	327,644
	...	...	1 5 2	1 5 0
Management	...	...	36,499	158,535
	...	...	0 11 9	0 12 1
Sundries	10,420	21,273	17,289	84,551
	0 3 4	0 1 8	0 5 7	0 6 5
Total	96,027	403,699	131,711	570,730
	1 11 0	1 10 10	2 2 6	2 3 6
Annual increase ...	53,811	41,610	379	2,664
	0 17 4	0 15 10	0 0 2	0 1 1
Funds at the end of the period ...	727,918	674,107	40,333	39,954
	11 6 8	11 5 8	0 12 7	0 13 5

28. It will be noticed that the periodic contributions of the members to the Sick and Funeral Funds in 1888 were £103,100, being at the rate of £1 13s. 3d. per member entitled to benefits, and the average annual rate per effective member during the preceding quinquennium was £1 11s. 3d., an increase in 1888 above such average of 2s. per member. The contributions in 1888 to the Incidental or Medical and Management Funds were £107,500, the rate per member being £1 14s. 8d. and £1 11s. 4d. during 1883–87, an increase per member in 1888 of 3s. 4d. Contributions, 1888 and 1883–87.

29. The levies in 1888 to the Sick and Funeral Funds and Incidental Funds were £426 and £3,908 respectively, the rate per member being to the former fund 2d. in 1888 and 4d. in 1883–87, and to the latter fund 1s. 3d. in 1888 and 3s. 8d. in 1883–87, the decrease in 1888 of 2d. and 2s. 5d. per member being probably due to the weekly or monthly contributions having been in most instances raised, levies, which are usually imposed to meet the case of deficient income, not being found necessary. Levies, 1888 and 1883–87.

30. The entrance and clearance fees and fees for the registration of wives amounted in 1888 to £2,438 to the Sick and Funeral Funds, and to £5,643 to the Incidental Funds, the proportion per member being 1s. 2d. in 1883–87, and 10d. in 1888 to the former funds, a decrease in 1888 of 4d. per member, and to the latter funds 1s. 11d. in 1883–87, and 1s. 10d. in 1888, a decrease of 1d., the decrease in this case also being probably due to the increase in the weekly contributions, and the consequent reduction in the initiation fees adopted by a majority of the societies. Entrance and clearance &c., fees, 1888 and 1883–87.

Interest, 1888 and 1883-87.

31. The total returns obtained from the investment of the Sick and Funeral Funds were £36,700 in 1888, and £148,400 during the five years 1883–87, being at the rate of 11s. 10d. and 11s. 4d., per member in the respective periods; relatively to the number of members entitled to benefits, there is thus seen to be an improvement in the interest received in 1888 over the average of the preceding five years of 6d. per member.

Sick Pay, 1888 and 1883-87.

32. The expenditure in sick pay was £67,300 in 1888, and £303,900 during the five years 1883–87, or £1 1s. 9d. and £1 3s. 2d. per member respectively, an improvement in 1888 over the quinquennial period of 1s. 5d. per member.

Funeral claims, 1888 and 1883-87.

33. The amount disbursed in funeral claims was £18,300 in 1888, or 5s. 11d. per member, and £78,500 during 1883–87, or 6s. per member, being 1d. per member in favour of 1888.

Medical attendance and medicine, 1888 and 1883-87.

34. The total sum paid away by the societies to their medical officers and chemists or dispensaries for the medical benefits afforded to the members, their wives and children under 18, was £77,900 in 1888, and £327,600 during 1883–87, or £1 5s. 2d. and £1 5s. per member respectively, or 2d. per member higher in 1888 than during the preceding five years taken together.

Management, 1888 and 1883-87.

35. For managing the business of the several branches, districts, and central bodies, £36,500 was expended in 1888, and £158,500 during 1883–87, being equal to 12s. 1d. per member during the quinquennium, and 11s. 9d. in 1888, a difference in favour of 1888 of 4d. per member.

Annual increase, 1883 and 1883-87.

36. The excess of the income of the Sick and Funeral Funds over the expenditure was £53,800 in 1888, and £41,600 per annum on the average during 1883–87, equivalent to 15s. 10d. per member in the latter period, and 17s. 4d. in the former, an increase in 1888 over 1883–87 of 1s. 6d. per member.

Capital of the Sick and Funeral Funds, 1888 and 1883-87.

37. The total capital of the Sick and Funeral Funds amounted to £466,100 at the beginning of 1883, or £10 6s. 10d. per effective member; to £674,100 or £11 5s. 8d. per member at the beginning of 1888; and to £727,900 or £11 6s. 8d. per member at the end of 1888, an increase of 1s. per member in 1888, and 18s. 10d. during 1883–87.

38. It is necessary to point out that the increase per member obtained by taking the difference between the income and expenditure per member on the basis of the average number of members during any given period differs, sometimes very considerably, from the increase per member obtained by comparing the funds with the number of members at the beginning and end of such period; the former method giving an increase in 1888, for example, of 17s. 4d. per member, and the latter 1s. per member as the increase.

Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure, 1888.

39. The financial operations of the societies during the year 1888, taking the Sick, Funeral and Incidental Funds together may be stated in this manner :—

FUNDS, RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES, 1888.

—	Total Amount.	Amount per Effective Member.
	£	£ s. d.
Funds at commencement of the Year ...	714,061	11 19 1
RECEIPTS.		
Members' payments	223,019	3 12 0
Interest	37,874	0 12 3
Sundries	21,035	0 6 9
Total	281,928	4 11 0
EXPENDITURE.		
Benefits	163,530	2 12 10
Management	36,499	0 11 9
Sundries	27,709	0 8 11
Total	227,738	3 13 6
Excess of Receipts over Expenditure ...	54,190	0 17 6
Funds at end of the Year	768,251	11 19 3

40. From these figures and those contained in paragraph 27 *ante*, it may be deduced that the sum expended during 1888 in managing the business of the branches, districts, and central bodies was equal to 16⅖ per cent. of members' contributions for all purposes, and the expenditure for benefits was equal to 73⅖ per cent., whereof sick pay formed 30⅕ per cent., funeral claims 8⅕ per cent., and medical attendance and medicine 35 per cent.

Table No. III.—Investments and interest, 1888 and 1883–87.

41. In the Sick and Funeral Funds of the societies taken together, 92·8 per cent. of the capital at the end of 1888 was invested at interest, and 92·9 per cent. of the average of the capital at the end of each of the five years 1883–87. The interest realized in the former period being 5·24 per cent. of the total capital, and in the latter period 5·25 per cent. per annum, the proportion of the capital kept constantly under investment, and the returns obtained, being thus virtually identical at the two periods. In the total Incidental Funds, which circumstances will not permit of being invested very closely, the proportion invested in 1888 was 73½ per cent., and 69 per cent. in 1883–87, an improvement of 4½ per cent. The interest realized in 1888 was something less than 3 per cent., but in 1883–87 over 3¼ per cent.; the result for the quinquennial period being thus superior to that for the year by over ¼ per cent. per annum.

Table No. IV.—Experience, 1888 and 1883–87.

Proportion of members sick, 1888 and 1883–87.

42. The number of members who declared on the Sick Funds of their branches in 1888 was 11,200, and during 1883–87 51,100, an average of 10,200 per annum, the proportion in every 1,000 effective members in 1888 being 181, and 195 in the preceding five years; there were thus 14 members per 1,000 fewer on the sick list in 1888 than there were annually on the average during 1883–87.

Duration of sickness, 1888 and 1883–87.

43. The total period wherein members were drawing sick pay was 89,600 weeks in 1888, and 78,100 weeks per annum on the average during 1883-87, equivalent to 1 week 3 days to each member entitled to benefits during both periods, and to 8 weeks to each sick member in 1888, and 7 weeks 4 days yearly during 1883–87; an increase in 1888 of 2 days per sick member.

Rate of sick pay, 1888 and 1883–87.

44. The amount of sick pay drawn in 1888 was equal to £6 to each sick member, and to £5 19s. per annum in 1883–87, the sick pay being thus, in 1888, 1s. per sick member higher than the average of the preceding quinquennium; to each effective member the sick pay in 1888 was £1 1s. 9d., and £1 3s. 2d. annually on the average during 1883–87; a difference in this case in favour of 1888 of 1s. 5d. per member. The average amount of sick pay drawn was 15s. per week in 1888, and 15s. 7d. per week annually during 1883–87, showing that a larger proportion of the duration of sickness came under the reduced weekly allowances in 1888 than during 1883–87 to the extent of 7d. per week.

Rate of mortality, 1888 and 1883–87.

45. The total number of members who died in 1888 was, as previously stated, 790; and the number during 1883–87 3,376, or 675 per annum on the average. The rate of mortality was, therefore, 10·45 per 1,000 members in 1888, and an average of 10·79 during 1883–87, a decrease in 1888 of ·34 per 1,000. The mortality was 12·74 per 1,000 effective members in 1888, and 12·89 in 1883–87, an improvement in favour of 1888 of ·15 per 1,000. The rate of mortality of effective members, it may be explained, measures the strain on the funds of the death of members entitled to benefits, whilst the rate of mortality of members measures the loss of membership to the societies by death, whether the funeral allowance is payable in every case or not.

Mortality of wives, 1888 and 1883–87.

46. The number of wives who died in 1888 was 383, equal to 5·07 per 1,000 members, and 1,682 in 1883–87, or 336 per annum, equal to 5·41 per 1,000 members; a difference in favour of 1888 of ·34 per 1,000. The mortality of wives per 1,000 effective members was 6·18 in 1888, and 6·42 in 1883–87, being ·24 per 1,000 in favour of 1888. There is no uniform system in the societies of dealing with the inception of the claims on the Funeral Fund of members' wives. In some societies separate contributions are payable on account of wives; in others a fee is charged on the registration of the wife, and no claim in respect to unregistered wives is recognised; while again in others the funeral claim, less the registration fee, is paid whether the deceased's wife was registered or not. It is thus impossible to ascertain how many wives there are in the societies generally who are entitled to interment money, and the only practicable method of stating the rate of mortality is to give, as is done in the Summary Table No. IV., the ratio of the number of wives who died relatively to the number of members.

The Condition and Progress of the Friendly Societies in each Year 1878–88.

Table No. V.—Societies, branches, and members, 1878–1888.

47. The number of members, effective and non-effective, in the societies at the beginning and end of the eleven years 1878–88, the number who joined, who died, and who left during the period were as follow:—

Members at the beginning of 1878		45,430
Joined during 1878–88—		
By Clearance (estimated)	10,163	
„ Initiation and clearance from outside Victoria (estimated) ...	91,711	
Total	101,874	
Left during 1878–88—		
By Death	6,679	
„ Clearance (estimated)	10,163	
„ Arrears, resignation, and expulsion (estimated)	51,806	
Total	68,648	
Increase during 1878–88		33,226
Members at the end of 1888		78,656

48. There were thus in the societies at the beginning of 1878 45,430 members altogether; the number admitted during the eleven years 1878–88 by initiation and transfer from other branches in Victoria, the other colonies, and England, were 101,874; died during the eleven years, 6,679; left by arrears, expulsion, and resignation, and by migration to other branches, 61,969, increasing the membership during the period by 33,226, and bringing up the number at the end of 1888 to 78,656, inclusive of those unfinancial or non-effective.

49. Taking the figures of the year 1888 as a measure of the probable proportion of the clearance members to those initiated and those excluded from membership during the eleven years, it may be assumed that of the 101,874 additional members about 91,700 were new members and new arrivals in Victoria, and that of the 61,969 who left for any cause except death, about 51,800 ceased to be members, and over 10,000 removed to other branches in Victoria, clearances to other colonies not being taken into account; it, therefore, follows approximately that, during the eleven years 1878–88, there was a gain of members of about 91,700, and a loss of about 51,800; that is, speaking roughly, for every nine members introduced five were lost by failure to keep up their payments, by resignation, or expulsion. It would be well if as much attention were paid to the retention as to the introduction of members.

Table No. VI.—Funds, Receipts and Expenditure, 1878–88.

50. The total funds, receipts and expenditure, for the eleven years 1878–88 were as follow:—

Funds, Receipts and Expenditure of Friendly Societies, 1878–88.

——	Total Amount.	Amount per Member.
	£	£ s. d.
Funds at commencement of 1878	367,079	8 1 7
Receipts, 1878–88.		
Contributions	1,818,263	2 18 1
Interest	300,472	0 9 6
Sundries	234,004	0 7 6
Total	2,352,739	3 15 1
Expenditure, 1878–88.		
Sick pay	609,648	0 19 7
Funeral claims	155,585	0 5 0
Medical benefits	650,695	1 0 10
Management	323,755	0 10 5
Sundries	211,884	0 6 9
Total	1,951,567	3 2 7
Increase, 1878–88	401,172	0 12 6
Funds at end of 1888	768,251	9 15 4

51. Relatively to the number of members effective and non-effective in the societies during the eleven years, their annual payments amounted on the average to £2 18s. 1d. per member, whereof 19s. 7d. per member was expended in sick pay, 5s. in funeral claims, £1 0s. 10d. in medical aid, and 10s. 5d. in management, making an

annual expenditure of £2 15s. 10d. per member altogether, and leaving on the average each year, not counting interest, a surplus of income over expenditure of 2s. 3d. per member, on the basis not of the members at the beginning and end, but of the average number of members in the societies during the period. (See paragraph 38, *ante*.)

Table No. VII.—Investments and interest, 1878–88.

52. Taking the funds as a whole during the eleven years 1878–88, the average proportion annually invested was 90·9 per cent.; the proportion in 1888 was 91·8 per cent., nearly 1 per cent. above the average of the period; the highest proportion invested was 92·6 in 1886, and the lowest 89·4 in 1881. The average annual rate of interest realized in proportion to the total funds was 5·12 per cent.; the rate in 1888 was 5·11 per cent., being slightly under the average; the highest rate attained was 5·31 in 1887 and 1884, and the lowest was 4·76 in 1878.

Table No. VIII.—Experience, 1878–88. Members sick, 1878–88.

53. The average number of members to every 1,000 members, effective and non-effective, who claimed sick pay annually during 1878–88 was 169·7; the proportion in 1888 was 148·5, 21·2 per 1,000 under the average, and the lowest rate reached during the eleven years; the highest proportion was 187·1 in 1879.

Duration of sickness per sick member, 1878–88.

54. The number of weeks that each sick member was on the sick list was $7\frac{1}{3}$ annually on the average during 1878–88, and 8 weeks during 1888, the latter being 4 days above the average, and the highest rate reached during the eleven years; the lowest rate was 6 weeks 4 days in 1878, since which year there has been a regular increase, except in 1882 and 1885, when there was a slight recession.

Per member.

55. The duration of sickness relatively to the number of members, effective and non-effective, during 1878–88 has been $7\frac{1}{2}$ days per member per annum on the average; the rate in 1888 was $7\frac{1}{10}$ days per member, $\frac{2}{5}$ of a day under the average, which was the lowest rate reached during the eleven years; the highest rate being $7\frac{4}{5}$ days in 1879 and 1881.

Sick pay per sick member, 1878–88.

56. The average amount of sick pay expended during 1878–88 was £5 15s. 10d. per sick member per annum; the rate in 1888 was £6, being 4s. 2d. above the average; and the highest rate reached during the period was £6 4s. 9d. in 1886; the lowest rate was £5 10s. in 1878.

Per member.

57. The amount of sick pay expended during 1878–88 was 19s. 7d. per member per annum on the average; the rate in 1888 was 17s. 10d., 1s. 9d. under the average, being the lowest rate reached during the eleven years; the highest rate was £1 0s. 9d. in 1879.

Per week.

58. The average annual amount of sick pay expended per week was 15s. 8d.; the rate in 1888 was 15s., being 8d. per week under the average; the highest rate per week paid was 16s. 4d. in 1878.

Mortality of members, 1878–88.

59. The average number of deaths of members which occurred during 1878–88 was $10\frac{7}{10}$ in every 1,000 members per annum; the rate of mortality in 1888 was $10\frac{1}{2}$, which was $\frac{1}{5}$ under the average; the lowest during the eleven years was $9\frac{3}{10}$ in 1880; the highest rate attained was $11\frac{9}{10}$ in 1881.

Mortality of wives, 1878–88.

60. The number of wives who died during 1878–88—3,380—was, in proportion to the number of members, $5\frac{1}{2}$ per 1,000 per annum on the average; the rate in 1888 was nearly $5\frac{1}{10}$ per 1,000 members, being $\frac{2}{5}$ under the average; and the highest rate was $6\frac{2}{5}$ in 1878.

Departures, 1878–88.

61. The average number of members who withdrew permanently from the societies by failure to keep up their payments, resignation, or expulsion, or who merely removed to other branches in Victoria, or elsewhere, was $96\frac{9}{10}$ per 1,000 members per annum; the number in 1888 was $84\frac{4}{5}$ per 1,000, about 12 per 1,000 below the average, and the lowest rate in the eleven years; the highest rate was 121 in 1887, and the next highest $111\frac{1}{2}$ in 1879. The estimated number of members who were excluded during the period from the societies for being over twelve months in arrears with their contributions, or breaking the rules, is given in paragraph 49, *ante*.

The Condition and Progress of the Several Societies in 1888 Compared.

The several societies in 1888 compared.

62. Summary Tables I. to IV. contain, as already observed, a statement of the number of branches and members, the funds, receipts, and expenditure, the investments and experience, during 1888 and 1883–87, of every Friendly Society in Victoria. By means of the proportional figures given therein, comparisons can be instituted between the several societies in respect to the various elements whereby their relative progress and condition may be approximately gauged. By referring to

the Table of Contributions and Benefits (see Appendix B to this Report), it will be seen that new members are entitled to benefits, or become effective, in six months in respect to sick pay in some societies, and in twelve months in others; and, in respect to interment money, in twelve months in a majority of the societies, and in six months in a few; while medical aid, on the other hand, is receivable immediately on initiation. For this reason it is impossible to select a common measure of comparison applicable to all the societies, and in all cases, which may be regarded as entirely satisfactory. When the proportional comparison is made on the basis of the number of members, effective and non-effective, the rates of sick pay and funeral claims are understated, and when the basis is the number of effective members, such items as contributions and medical expenditure are overstated.

63. The non-effectiveness of members may be due to two opposite causes, favorable and unfavorable, the number of members whose contributions are from three to twelve months overdue may be relatively high, an indication generally of apathy and retrogression in the branch, or the new members may be proportionately numerous, an indication of vitality and progress.

64. In the Summary Tables I. to IV., the particulars relating to the several societies in 1888 and 1883–87 are given in absolute value and also proportionately to the number of effective members. In Summary Tables V. to VIII., the aggregate figures appertaining to each of the eleven years, 1878–88, are given proportionately to the number of members, effective and non-effective.

65. In drawing conclusions as to the relative standing of the societies in respect to rates per effective member, regard must be had to the position of each society with regard to the rate of initiations, exclusions, and consequent effectiveness of members. It must also be borne in mind that in the matter of contributions and benefits, &c., there is considerable diversity in the practice of the societies in Victoria, as an examination of Appendix B will show. The I.O.R., for example, grants 20s. a week sick pay for twelve months, the M.U.I.O.O.F. 20s. for the first six months, 13s. 4d. for the second, while in a majority of the societies the weekly pay for the second six months' sickness is 10s. The U.L.F.S. gives 15s. for three months, and 7s. 6d. for the next six months, when the sickness is the result of accident only, with £7 and £5 on the death of member and wife respectively, and does not give medical benefits. The A.O.S. gives 15s., 7s. 6d., and 3s. 9d. per week, and £10 and £5 at death of member and wife, without medical benefits. There are many other peculiarities to which due weight must be assigned in any proper comparison of the relative position and progress of the societies.

Initiations, exclusions and effectiveness, 1888.

66. The several distinct societies in Victoria are arranged in the following table in the order of the number of members initiated, the number excluded, and the number entitled to benefits, relatively to the total number, effective and non-effective, during the year 1888:—

THE SOCIETIES ARRANGED IN THE ORDER OF INITIATIONS, EXCLUSIONS, AND EFFECTIVENESS DURING 1888.

Order.	Society.	Initiations per 1,000 Members.	Society.	Exclusions per 1,000 Members.	Society.	Members effective per 1,000 Members.
1	I.N.F.B.S.	1,391	I.N.F.B.S.	218	I.N.F.B.S.	430
2	A.N.A.	386	A.N.A.	152	A.N.A.	508
3	St.M.T.A.B.S.	292	O.S.T.	144	G.U.O.F.G.	701
4	G.U.O.F.G.	267	G.U.O.F.G.	124	O.S.T.	713
5	I.O.O.F.	230	O.St.A.	122	I.O.O.F.	788
6	U.A.O.D.	225	P.A.F.S.	108	I.O.R.	793
7	O.S.T.	217	A.O.F., Court Amherst	107	P.A.F.S.	803
8	I.O.R.	196	U.A.O.D.	107	U.A.O.D.	812
9	P.A.F.S.	191	I.O.R.	102	H.A.C.B.S.	855
10	St.P.S., Melbourne District	160	I.O.O.F.	91	St.P.S., Melbourne District	858
11	G.U.O.O.F.	144	St.M.T.A.B.S.	83	G.U.O.O.F.	866
12	H.A.C.B.S.	139	St.P.S., Melbourne District	79	O.St.A.	867
13	O.St.A.	130	A.O.F., O. and M. District	76	St.M.T.A.B.S.	875
14	M.U.I.O.O.F.	114	G.U.O.O.F.	76	A.O.F., Court Ararat	882
15	A.O.F., Melbourne District	112	H.A.C.B.S.	67	M.U.I.O.O.F.	882
16	,, G. and W. District	91	M.U.I.O.O.F.	62	St.P.S., G. and W. District	890
17	,, O. and M. District	84	A.O.F., Melbourne District	60	A.O.F., O. and M. District	892
18	O.St.A., S.C.	59	,, Court Ararat	59	,, Melbourne District	899
19	A.O.F., Ballarat District	51	,, Warrnambool District	47	,, G. and W. District	909
20	A.O.S.	48	,, Ballarat District	42	,, Grenville District	934
21	A.O.F., Warrnambool District	47	,, G. and W. District	40	,, Court Unity	942
22	G.S.R.S.	41	,, Bendigo District	37	,, Portland District	947
23	St.P.S., G. and W. District	37	O.St.A., S.C.	31	O.St.A., S.C.	947
24	U.L.F.S.	29	A.O.F., Court Unity	26	A.O.F., Ballarat District	958
25	A.O.F., Portland District	26	A.O.S.	24	A.O.F., Warrnambool District	962
26	,, Bendigo District	24	A.O.F., Portland District	23	,, Court Amherst	964
27	,, Court Unity	21	,, Grenville District	19	,, Bendigo District	970
28	,, Grenville District	19	St.P.S., G. and W. District	16	G.S.R.S.	971
29	,, Court Freedom	13	A.O.F., Court Freedom	13	U.L.F.S.	971
30	,, Court Ararat	..	G.S.R.S.	12	A.O.S.	976
31	,, Court Amherst	..	U.L.F.S.	..	A.O.F., Court Freedom	987
..	All the societies	211	All the societies	103	All the societies	820

Sickness and mortality, 1888.

67. In the following table the societies are arranged in the order of the duration of sickness and the number of deaths of members, in proportion to the average number of effective members, and the ratio of the deaths to the average numbers therein during 1888:—

SOCIETIES IN THE ORDER OF SICKNESS AND DEATHS PER EFFECTIVE MEMBER, AND DEATHS PER MEMBER, IN 1888.

Order.	Society.	Sickness per effective Member.	Society.	Deaths per 1,000 effective Members.	Society.	Deaths per 1,000 Members.
		Days.				
1	U.L.F.S.	..	A.O.F., O. and M. District	..	A.O.F., O. and M. District	..
2	G.S.R.S.	2	„ Warrnambool District	..	„ Warrnambool District	..
3	I.N.F.B.S.	2	U.L.F.S.	..	U.L.F.S.	..
4	A.O.F., Court Amherst	3	St.P.S., G. and W. District	5·9	A.N.A.	3·5
5	A.N.A.	3	A.N.A.	7·0	St.P.S., G. and W. District	5·3
6	A.O.F., O. and M. District	3	I.O.R.	9·4	I.O.R.	7·4
7	U.A.O.D.	6	P.A.F.S.	9·5	P.A.F.S.	7·6
8	G.U.O.F.G.	6	O.S.T.	11·7	O.S.T.	8·3
9	I.O.O.F.	7	M.U.I.O.O.F.	11·7	G.U.O.F.G.	9·5
10	A.O.F., Warrnambool District	7	U.A.O.D.	11·9	U.A.O.D.	9·7
11	„ Court Ararat	7	G.S.R.S.	12·0	M.U.I.O.O.F.	10·4
12	P.A.F.S.	7	H.A.C.B.S.	12·5	H.A.C.B.S.	10.7
13	I.O.R.	8	St.P.S., Melbourne District	13·0	G.U.O.O.F.	10·9
14	O.S.T.	8	G.U.O.F.G.	13·5	I.O.O.F.	11·1
15	H.A.C.B.S.	8	G.U.O.O.F.	13·5	St.P.S., Melbourne District	11·2
16	O.St.A.	8	I.O.O.F.	14·1	G.S.R.S.	11·6
17	A.O.F., Melbourne District	9	O.St.A.	14·4	O.St.A.	12·5
18	M.U.I.O.O.F.	10	A.O.F., Melbourne District	15·8	A.O.F., Melbourne District	14·2
19	G.U.O.O.F.	10	„ Portland District	17·9	„ Portland District	17·0
20	O.St.A., S.C.	11	„ G. and W. District	18·8	„ G. and W. District	17·1
21	St.P.S., G. and W. District	11	O.St.A., S.C.	19·7	O.St.A., S.C.	18·6
22	„ Melbourne District	12	A.O.F., Grenville District	20·2	A.O.F., Grenville District	18·9
23	A.O.F., Portland District	12	„ Bendigo District	21·2	I.N.F.B.S.	19·2
24	„ Ballarat District	13	„ Court Ararat	22·2	A.O.F., Court Ararat	19·6
25	„ Bendigo District	13	„ Ballarat District	23·0	„ Bendigo District	20·6
26	„ G. and W District	13	A.O.S.	24·4	„ Ballarat District	22·0
27	A.O.S.	13	A.O.F., Court Amherst	37·0	A.O.S.	23·8
28	A.O.F., Grenville District	14	„ Court Unity	39·1	A.O.F., Court Amherst	35·7
29	St.M.T.A.B.S.	16	I.N.F.B.S.	44·8	„ Court Unity	36·8
30	A.O.F., Court Freedom	30	St.M.T.A.B.S.	47·6	St.M.T.A.B.S.	41·7
31	„ „ Unity	32	A.O.F., Court Freedom	51·3	A.O.F., Court Freedom	50·6
..	All the societies	9	All the societies	12·7	All the societies	10·5

Sick pay, funeral and medical benefits, 1888.

68. The societies are arranged in the subjoined table in the order of the amount paid during 1888 as sick pay, funeral claims, and medical attendance and medicine, in proportion to the average number of effective members:—

SOCIETIES IN THE ORDER OF SICK PAY, FUNERAL CLAIMS, AND MEDICAL AID IN 1888.

Order.	Society.	Sick Pay per Effective Member.	Society.	Funeral Claims per Effective Member.	Society.	Medical Aid per Effective Member.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1	U.L.F.S	0 0 7	A.O.F., O. and M. District	..	A.O.S.	..
2	G.S.R.S.	0 6 7	„ Warrnambool District	..	U.L.F.S.	..
3	I.N.F.B.S.	0 7 9	U.L.F.S.	..	St.P.S., G. and W. District	0 18 3
4	A.O.F., O. and M. District	0 9 7	St.P.S., G. and W. District	0 2 4	St.M.T.A.B.S.	0 19 1
5	„ Court Amherst	0 10 4	A.N.A.	0 2 5	A.O.F., Grenville District	0 19 2
6	A.N.A.	0 12 9	I.O.R.	0 4 0	„ Warrnambool District	1 0 9
7	P.A.F.S.	0 14 2	O.S.T.	0 4 0	„ Bendigo District	1 1 9
8	O.S.T.	0 15 2	A.O.S.	0 4 10	O.St.A., S.C.	1 1 11
9	U.A.O.D.	0 16 5	G.U.O.F.G.	0 4 11	O.S.T.	1 2 1
10	G.U.O.F.G.	0 16 5	St.P.S., Melbourne District	0 5 3	O.St.A.	1 2 3
11	A.O.S.	0 18 7	U.A.O.D.	0 5 6	A.O.F., Court Freedom	1 2 7
12	A.O.F., Court Ararat	0 19 1	M.U.I.O.O.F.	0 5 7	„ G. and W. District	1 2 11
13	I.O.O.F.	0 19 6	H.A.C.B.S.	0 5 9	„ Portland District	1 3 9
14	O.St.A.	1 0 10	P.A.F.S.	0 5 9	„ Ballarat District	1 4 0
15	H.A.C.B.S.	1 1 0	G.U.O.O.F.	0 6 2	St.P.S., Melbourne District	1 4 0
16	O.St.A., S.C.	1 1 0	I.O.O.F.	0 6 8	I.O.R.	1 4 0
17	A.O.F., Melbourne District	1 1 9	G.S.R.S.	0 7 2	A.O.F., Melbourne District	1 4 2
18	„ Warrnambool District	1 1 9	A.O.F., Melbourne District	0 7 9	„ Court Unity	1 4 3
19	St.P.S., G. and W. District	1 1 11	O.St.A.	0 7 9	M.U.I.O.O.F.	1 4 8
20	I.O.R.	1 2 1	A.O.F., Grenville District	0 8 1	U.A.O.D.	1 5 4
21	G.U.O.O.F.	1 4 11	„ G. and W. District	0 8 2	G.U.O.O.F.	1 5 6
22	M.U.I.O.O.F.	1 5 5	„ Court Ararat	0 8 11	H.A.C.B.S.	1 6 3
23	A.O.F., Portland District	1 5 9	„ Portland District	0 9 0	P.A.F.S.	1 6 9
24	St.P.S., Melbourne District	1 8 0	„ Bendigo District	0 10 1	I.O.O.F.	1 6 10
25	A.O.F., Ballarat District	1 8 7	„ Ballarat District	0 10 2	A.O.F., O. and M. District	1 7 5
26	St.M.T.A.B.S.	1 9 0	O.St.A , S.C.	0 11 2	„ Court Amherst	1 7 5
27	A.O.F., G. and W. District	1 9 5	I.N.F.B.S.	0 11 11	G.S.R.S.	1 8 9
28	„ Bendigo District	1 9 8	A.O.F., Court Amherst	0 14 10	G.U.O.F.G.	1 9 2
29	„ Grenville District	1 11 4	„ Court Unity	0 19 0	A.O.F., Court Ararat	1 11 1
30	„ Court Unity	2 15 4	St.M.T.A.B.S.	0 19 1	A.N.A.	1 13 9
31	„ Court Freedom	3 9 6	A.O.F., Court Freedom	1 0 6	I.N.F.B.S.	2 0 3
..	All the societies	1 1 9	All the societies	0 5 11	All the societies	1 5 2

Funds, investments and interest of Sick and Funeral Fund, 1888.

69. The societies are arranged below in the order of the amount per effective member of their Sick and Funeral Fund at the end of 1888, the proportion thereof invested and the interest realized therefrom per cent. of total funds:—

SOCIETIES IN THE ORDER OF SICK AND FUNERAL FUND PER EFFECTIVE MEMBER, RATE OF INVESTMENTS AND INTEREST PER CENT. IN 1888.

Order.	Society.	Sick and Funeral Fund per Effective Member.	Society.	Rate of Investments per cent.	Society.	Rate of Interest per cent.
		£ s. d.				
1	A.O.F., Court Unity	30 11 4	A.O.F., Warrnambool District..	100·0	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	8·1
2	„ Court Ararat	26 17 1	„ Court Amherst ..	100·0	„ Court Unity	6·9
3	„ Warrnambool District ..	23 1 9	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	100·0	A.O.S.	6·6
4	„ O. and M. District ..	20 19 10	St.M.T.A.B.S.	98·4	H.A.C.B.S.	6·0
5	„ Court Amherst ..	20 1 7	A.O.F., Court Unity	98·2	A.O.F., Court Ararat	5·9
6	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	19 13 7	„ G. and W. District ..	97·0	G.S.R.S.	5·9
7	A.O.S.	19 11 6	I.O.R.	96·7	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	5·9
8	A.O.F., Portland District ..	19 10 4	I.O.O.F.	96·5	A.O.F., Warrnambool District..	5·7
9	M.U.I.O.O.F.	15 16 0	U.A.O.D.	96·1	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	5·7
10	A.O.F., Grenville District ..	14 10 3	A.O.F., Portland District ..	96·0	I.O.O.F.	5·6
11	I.O.R.	13 15 9	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	95·8	M.U.I.O.O.F...	5·4
12	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	12 8 6	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	95·0	A.O.F., Grenville District ..	5·3
13	A.O.F., G. and W. District ..	12 7 5	„ Court Ararat	95·0	„ G. and W. District ..	5·2
14	O.St.A., S.C.	11 16 4	U.L.F.S.	94·4	„ Melbourne District ..	5·2
15	O.S.T.	11 8 0	O.St.A., S.C.	93·6	I.O.R.	5·2
16	G.U.O.O.F.	11 0 3	O.S.T.	92·7	G.U.O.O.F.	5·2
17	A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	9 13 2	M.U.I.O.O.F.	92·5	P.A.F.S.	5·1
18	I.O.O.F.	9 12 6	A.O.F., Melbourne District ..	92·0	U.A.O.D.	5·1
19	G.U.O.F.G.	8 17 3	„ O. and M. District ..	92·0	A.O.F., Bendigo District ..	5·0
20	A.O.F., Melbourne District ..	8 16 7	„ Bendigo District ..	91·8	O.St.A., S.C.	4·8
21	„ Bendigo District ..	8 3 9	G.U.O.O.F.	91·7	G.U.O.F.G.	4·7
22	U.A.O.D.	7 11 10	A.O.F., Grenville District ..	89·9	O.S.T.	4·6
23	P.A.F.S.	7 2 7	H.A.C.B.S.	88·9	A.O.F., Portland District ..	4·3
24	G.S.R.S.	7 2 3	A.O.S.	88·1	„ O. and M. District ..	4·0
25	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	6 11 1	G.U.O.F.G.	82·6	„ Ballarat District ..	4·0
26	U.L.F.S.	6 5 11	P.A.F.S.	82·6	O.St.A.	3·9
27	H.A.C.B.S.	5 19 10	G.S.R.S.	81·2	A.N.A.	3·8
28	A.N.A.	5 15 9	O.St.A.	80·8	U.L.F.S.	3·5
29	O.St.A.	5 10 10	A.N.A.	75·1	St.M.T.A.B.S.	3·1
30	St.M.T.A.B.S.	4 5 1	A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	72·6	A.O.F., Court Amherst ..	1·8
31	I.N.F.B.S.	2 1 1	I.N.F.B.S.	23·0	I.N.F.B.S.	0·7
..	All the societies	11 6 8	All the societies	92·8	All the societies	5·2

Contributions, benefits, and management, 1888.

70. The societies are arranged in the following table in the order of the total contributions received and the total amount paid in benefits per effective member, and the sum expended in management in proportion per cent. to members' total contributions in 1888:—

SOCIETIES IN THE ORDER OF TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS PER EFFECTIVE MEMBER, AND MANAGEMENT EXPENDITURE IN PROPORTION TO TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS PER CENT., IN 1888.

Order.	Society.	Total Contributions per Effective Member.	Society.	Total Benefits per Effective Member.	Society.	Management Expenditure in proportion to Total Contributions per cent.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		
1	I.N.F.B.S.	7 18 3	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	5 12 7	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	11·9
2	A.N.A.	5 6 9	„ Court Unity	4 18 7	G.S.R.S.	12·4
3	G.U.O.F.G.	4 6 5	St.M.T.A.B.S.	3 7 2	A.O.F., Court Unity	13·3
4	A.O.F., Court Freedom ..	4 6 4	A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	3 2 9	„ G. and W. District ..	13·4
5	„ Grenville District ..	3 18 11	„ Bendigo District ..	3 1 6	„ Court Ararat	14·1
6	I.O.O.F.	3 17 2	„ G. and W. District ..	3 0 6	M.U.I.O.O.F.	14·4
7	A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	3 14 10	I.N.F.B.S.	2 19 11	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	15·4
8	G.U.O.O.F.	3 14 3	A.O.F., Court Ararat	2 19 1	A.O.F., Melbourne District ..	15·4
9	U.A.O.D.	3 13 6	„ Grenville District ..	2 18 7	I.O.O.F.	15·5
10	P.A.F.S.	3 12 7	„ Portland District ..	2 18 6	H.A.C.B.S.	15·7
11	I.O.R.	3 12 5	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	2 17 3	A.O.F., Portland District ..	16·0
12	St.M.T.A.B.S.	3 12 4	G.U.O.O.F.	2 16 7	„ Warrnambool District..	16·1
13	A.O.F., Court Amherst ..	3 11 11	M.U.I.O.O.F...	2 15 8	U.A.O.D.	16·1
14	„ Court Unity	3 11 5	O.St.A., S.C.	2 14 1	P.A.F.S.	16·8
15	O.St.A., S.C.	3 11 1	A.O.F., Melbourne District ..	2 13 8	I.N.F.B.S.	17·2
16	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	3 10 1	I.O.O.F.	2 13 0	I.O.R.	17·8
17	M.U.I.O.O.F.	3 10 0	H.A.C.B.S.	2 13 0	G.U.O.F.G.	18·0
18	A.O.F., Bendigo District ..	3 9 5	A.O.F., Court Amherst ..	2 12 7	St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	18·1
19	„ Court Ararat	3 9 5	O.St.A.	2 10 10	G.U.O.O.F.	18·1
20	O.St.A.	3 8 9	G.U.O.F.G.	2 10 6	A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	19·0
21	A.O.F., O. and M. District ..	3 8 2	I.O.R.	2 10 1	„ Bendigo District ..	19·2
22	H.A.C.B.S.	3 7 0	A.N.A.	2 8 11	A.N.A.	19·8
23	O.S.T.	3 5 2	U.A.O.D.	2 7 3	O.S.T.	19·9
24	A.O.F., Melbourne District ..	3 4 6	P.A.F.S.	2 6 8	O.St.A.	21·7
25	„ G. and W. District ..	3 2 4	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	2 2 6	O.St.A., S.C.	21·7
26	„ Portland District ..	3 0 6	A.O.F., Warrnambool District	2 2 6	A.O.F., Court Amherst ..	22·7
27	A.O.F., Warrnambool District..	2 18 7	G.S.R.S.	2 2 6	„ Grenville District ..	23·5
28	G.S.R.S.	2 18 2	O.S.T.	2 1 3	St.M.T.A.B.S.	24·3
29	St.P.S., G. and W. District ..	2 8 6	A.O.F., O. and M. District ..	1 17 0	A.O.F., O. and M. District ..	25·3
30	A.O.S.	1 9 9	A.O.S.	1 3 5	A.O.S.	27·9
31	U.L.F.S.	0 18 10	U.L.F.S.	0 0 7	U.L.F.S.	34·4
..	All the societies	3 12 0	All the societies	2 12 10	All the societies	16·4

71. The position of each society in 1888, compared with its position during the quinquennium 1883–87, in respect to admissions, departures (including clearances), effectiveness, mortality, sickness, investments, interest, and management, is shown in the following table:— Experience of each society in 1888 compared with 1883–87.

THE POSITION OF THE SEVERAL DISTINCT SOCIETIES IN 1888 AND 1883–87 COMPARED.

Society.	Admissions per 1,000 Members.		Departures per 1,000 Members.		Effectiveness per 1,000 Members.		Mortality per 1,000 Effective Members.		Sickness per Effective Member.		Investments of Sick and Funeral Funds Ratio to Total Funds per cent.		Interest realized in Sick and Funeral Funds per cent.		Management—Ratio to Total Contributions per cent.	
	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.	1888.	1883–87.
									Days	Days						
M.U.I.O.O.F.	133	122	76	65	882	887	11·7	12·1	10	10	92·5	93·0	5·37	5·37	14·4	16·3
G.U.O.O.F.	156	163	86	115	866	841	13·5	12·4	10	9	91·7	91·7	5·15	5·50	18·1	17·9
I.O.O.F.	253	193	110	124	788	785	14·1	11·6	7	7	96·5	94·5	5·62	5·25	15·5	17·0
U.A.O.D.	250	272	124	170	812	772	11·9	14·1	6	8	96·1	96·4	5·07	5·40	16·1	17·2
A.O.F., Ballarat District ..	56	60	54	60	958	954	23·0	18·0	13	15	72·6	74·8	3·99	3·98	19·0	20·1
,, Bendigo District ..	29	48	44	57	970	966	21·2	24·0	13	14	91·8	89·7	4·96	5·05	19·2	18·6
,, G. and W. District ..	94	102	40	57	909	931	18·8	14·8	13	10	97·0	95·8	5·23	4·77	13·4	16·6
,, Grenville District ..	19	18	19	47	934	892	20·2	15·0	14	14	89·9	92·7	5·32	4·63	23·5	27·6
,, Melbourne District ..	127	146	68	66	899	917	15·8	14·2	9	9	92·0	93·6	5·17	5·14	15·4	15·6
,, O. and M. District ..	88	82	84	86	892	876	..	10·6	3	5	92·0	84·9	4·09	4·04	25·3	22·3
,, Portland District ..	30	54	26	44	947	939	17·9	10·3	12	10	96·0	96·5	4·30	4·42	16·0	17·4
,, Warrnambool District	66	76	47	61	962	961	..	6·1	7	5	100·0	92·3	5·66	5·86	16·1	17·2
,, Court Unity ..	37	16	26	17	942	961	39·1	25·4	32	26	98·2	98·6	6·91	6·84	13·3	13·8
,, Court Freedom ..	13	20	25	22	987	1,000	51·3	41·3	30	30	95·0	97·2	8·08	6·83	11·9	10·9
,, Court Ararat ..	20	62	78	46	882	962	22·2	12·0	7	11	95·0	95·0	5·92	5·89	14·1	12·4
,, Court Amherst ..	..	23	143	51	964	971	37·0	17·7	3	7	100·0	97·7	1·81	1·65	22·7	19·4
I.O.R.	225	187	127	116	793	829	9·4	9·4	8	8	96·7	95·5	5·17	5·26	17·8	18·3
O.S.T.	238	199	163	149	713	732	11·7	6·4	8	8	92·7	89·6	4·63	4·25	19·9	21·1
H.A.C.B.S.	158	161	85	87	855	851	12·5	13·7	8	8	88·9	88·6	5·99	5·32	15·7	15·8
O.St.A.	149	142	129	115	867	894	14·4	24·0	8	9	80·8	79·3	3·85	4·17	21·7	22·6
O.St.A., S.C.	62	75	31	75	947	940	19·7	17·2	11	9	93·6	92·3	4·78	4·67	21·7	23·2
G.U.O.F.G.	278	254	150	182	701	739	13·5	15·1	6	7	82·6	86·1	4·68	4·27	18·0	19·4
St.P.S., Melbourne District ..	175	154	80	96	858	867	13·0	23·2	12	10	95·8	95·4	5·65	5·33	18·1	19·3
,, G. and W. District ..	37	71	16	25	890	914	5·9	16·3	11	11	100·0	100·0	5·85	5·44	15·4	16·0
P.A.F.S.	217	220	124	121	803	816	9·5	14·1	7	7	82·6	80·7	5·13	4·55	16·8	19·5
A.N.A.	417	472	191	166	508	482	7·0	8·1	3	3	75·1	75·3	3·76	2·52	19·8	22·3
A.O.S.	48	38	24	29	976	1,000	24·4	9·5	13	10	88·1	92·9	6·62	5·83	27·9	30·1
G.S.R.S.	41	119	12	37	971	944	12·0	11·8	2	5	81·2	83·6	5·91	4·84	12·4	12·5
St.M.T.A.B.S.	292	83	83	96	875	978	47·6	4·4	16	17	98·4	88·4	3·08	2·71	24·3	28·9
U.L.F.S.	29	25	..	129	971	1,000	..	12·5	..	4	94·4	97·2	3·50	3·89	34·4	31·8
I.N.F.B.S.	1,391	2,333	218	303	430	333	44·8	90·9	2	8	23·0	..	0·67	..	17·2	38·7
All the societies	193	175	102	100	820	838	12·7	12·9	9	9	92·8	92·9	5·24	5·25	16·4	17·4

MISAPPROPRIATION OF SICK AND FUNERAL FUNDS, 1887 AND 1888.

72. It has been pointed out, in several preceding reports, that societies are expressly forbidden, under penalty by the Friendly Societies Act, to use any portion of their Sick and Funeral Funds for any of the purposes for which the Medical and Management or Incidental Funds were especially formed to meet.* The sum by which the total amount expended on account of the Incidental Funds exceeded the receipts, obtained, there is good ground for believing, by misappropriation from the Sick and Funeral Funds, was £2,600 in 1887, and £2,670 in 1888, an increase of nearly £71. The most conspicuous offenders in this respect, taking as a criterion the magnitude of the misappropriation during 1888, were the Ballarat District, A.O.F., A.N.A., P.A.F.S., Bendigo District, A.O.F., and M.U.I.O.O.F. The following table contains a list of the societies so offending, and the amounts misappropriated at the end of 1887 and 1888, with the increase or decrease at the latter date:— Misappropriation of Funds, 1887 and 1888.

MISAPPROPRIATION OF SICK AND FUNERAL FUNDS, 1887 AND 1888.

Name of Society.	Amount of Sick and Funeral Funds Misappropriated at end of—		Increase.	Decrease.
	1887.	1888.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
M.U.I.O.O.F.	197 19 11	183 16 3½	...	14 3 7½
G.U.O.O.F.	5 0 4½	1 13 0¼	...	3 7 4¼
I.O.O.F.	101 4 6½	102 11 0½	1 6 6	...
St.P.S., Melbourne District	17 15 3	145 10 11	127 15 8	...
H.A.C.B.S.	222 16 9	162 7 1	...	60 9 8
U.A.O.D.	124 0 11	97 9 11	...	26 11 0
A.O.F., Ballarat District	530 9 6	594 6 5	63 16 11	...
,, Bendigo District	152 6 11½	217 4 9	64 17 9½	...
,, Grenville District	25 11 10	8 12 2	...	16 19 8
,, Melbourne District	2 1 5½	...	...	2 1 5½
,, Ovens and Murray District	57 1 0	52 15 6	...	4 5 6
,, Portland District	...	5 17 8	5 17 8	...
G.U.O.F.G....	43 0 3½	41 15 9	...	1 4 6½
I.O.R.	142 8 8¼	133 1 3¾	...	9 7 4½
O.S.T.	185 16 4	138 7 5¾	...	47 8 10¼
O.St.A., S.C.	4 14 6	...	...	4 14 6
O.St.A.	175 10 3½	52 9 10½	...	123 0 5
P.A.F.S.	259 11 10	301 5 0½	41 13 2½	
A.N.A.	351 14 6	421 7 7	69 13 1	...
U.L.F.S.	0 10 5½	0 15 6½	0 5 1	...
I.N.F.B.S.	...	9 0 0	9 0 0	...
Total	2,599 15 4¾	2,670 7 4½	†70 11 11½	...

* See *Friendly Societies Act* 1877 (No. 590), Sections 13 (iii.) and 30.

† Net figures.

Dates of Furnishing the Friendly Societies' Returns for 1888.

Societies furnishing returns before and on and after the 1st February, 1889.

73. It is provided by the Friendly Societies Act, Section 13 (1.) (*d*), that every society registered thereunder shall send annually to the Government Statist a statement of its funds, receipts, and expenditure, and a list of members, with their experience of sickness and mortality during the preceding year, according to forms prescribed by him; it is furthermore provided that such returns shall be sent in before the first day of February in each year. All the societies in Victoria have complied with the law during the year 1889 (and every year previously since the passing of the Act) so far as to furnish the required returns sometime during the year, a few of them, indeed, with commendable alacrity, the G.U.O.O.F., for instance, during 1889, and the Portland District A.O.F., with Courts Unity, Freedom, Ararat, and Amherst, G.S.R.S., and U.L.F.S., but there has always been great dilatoriness on the part of many of the societies in sending in the returns by the time prescribed by Statute. Seeing that the figures embodied in the returns relate to the year terminated with the last meeting night in December, it does not seem too much to expect that the documents should be sent to the Government Statist sometime during the first quarter of the year. It may be also pointed out that so long as one branch of a society withholds the particulars of its proceedings it is impossible to finally deal with the figures of such society, and that promptitude on the part of all the secretaries would prevent much loss of time and delay in printing and publishing the Government Statist's Annual Report on Friendly Societies.

74. The following table contains a statement of the time when the returns from the several societies reached this office; it will be noticed that some of the returns were received during the last quarter of 1889, six from the A.N.A., seven from the M.U.I.O.O.F., two from the I.O.O.F., one from the Melbourne District H.A.C.B.S., and six, being the whole, from the I.N.F.B.S.:—

Dates, in 1889, on which the Returns of the respective Friendly Societies for 1888 reached the Government Statist.

Name of Society.	Number of Branches or Single Societies, including Central Bodies, from which Returns were received.						
	On or before the 1st February.	During the month of February.	During the month of March.	During the months of April, May, and June.	During the months of July, August, and September.	During the months of October, November and December.	Total.
G.U.O.O.F.	62	1	...	...	...	...	63
A.O.F., Melbourne District	7	43	2	22	5	...	79
,, Portland District	7	...	...	...	...	...	7
O.S.T., Melbourne Grand Division	7	5	6	6	...	...	24
O.St.A.	6	6	6	3	1	...	22
H.A.C.B.S., Melbourne District	3	23	5	11	3	1	46
A.O.F., Ballarat District	1	7	1	1	...	...	10
,, Court Unity	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
,, Court Freedom	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
,, Court Ararat	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
,, Court Amherst	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
U.A.O.D.	1	75	4	3	2	...	85
St.P.S., Melbourne District	1	...	...	5	1	...	7
G.S.R.S.	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
U.L.F.S.	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
I.O.R.	...	146	13	1	...	...	160
I.O.O.F.	...	60	...	1	...	2	63
A.N.A.	...	40	11	11	2	6	70
G.U.O.F.G.	...	19	...	...	...	...	19
O.S.T., Victoria Grand Division	...	18	4	...	...	...	22
A.O.F., Bendigo District	...	12	...	...	...	...	12
O.St.A., S.C.	...	7	...	...	..	...	7
A.O.F., Ovens and Murray District	...	6	...	...	1	...	7
,, Geelong and Western District	...	5	1	1	...	...	7
H.A.C.B.S., Ballarat District	...	5	...	...	...	...	5
A.O.F., Grenville District	...	4	...	...	...	...	4
A.O.S.	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
A.O.F., Warrnambool District	...	1	1	1	...	...	3
P.A.F.S.	...	...	24	2	...	...	26
M.U.I.O.O.F	...	...	...	47	137	7	191
O.S.T., Ballarat and Sandhurst Grand Division	...	...	...	19	...	...	19
St. M.T.A.B.S.	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
I.N.F.B.S.	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
St.P.S., Geelong and Western District	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total	101	485	78	135	152	23	974

Friendly Societies in the several Australasian Colonies.

75. The following is a statement of the number of Friendly Societies, branches, and members, also the total amount of funds to the credit of such societies, in the colonies of Australasia, at the latest date for which returns have been received:— Friendly Societies in Australasia.

Friendly Societies in the several Australasian Colonies.

Colony.	Date of Return.	Number of Parent Societies.	Number of Branches.	Number of Members.	Amount of Funds.
					£
Victoria	31st December, 1888	32	930	78,656	768,251
New South Wales* ...	—	—	—	—	—
Queensland	31st December, 1887	12	175	12,301	81,621
South Australia ...	„ „	10	...	29,319	245,875
Western Australia ...	„ 1888	20†	...	3,000†	...
Tasmania	„ „	17	80	7,151	53,312
New Zealand	„ 1887	16	347	24,928	383,515

* Particulars of the Friendly Societies in New South Wales had not been received at the time of going to press. † Approximate figures.

HENRY HEYLYN HAYTER,
Government Statist.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 31st December, 1889.

APPENDICES.

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APPENDIX A.

VALUATIONS.

THE SECOND VALUATION OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, OVENS AND MURRAY UNITED DISTRICT.

Letter from the Government Statist to the District Secretary, forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 6th September, 1888.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Report of the Actuary to this Department on the condition of the Ovens and Murray District A.O.F., together with an abstract of the results of his examination as at the 31st December, 1886, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. I am gratified to perceive that, in comparison with the position of the Society in 1881, there is an improvement in the Court Sick Funds, but regret that in the District Funeral Fund there has been considerable retrogression.

3. The Actuary has made certain recommendations with the view of placing the funds of the Society on a sound basis. I would urge upon the management the propriety of immediately acting upon the advice he has tendered.

I have, &c.,
H. H. HAYTER,
Government Statist.

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ABSTRACT of the Valuation of the Ovens and

SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS OF THE VALUATION.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of Benefits.	Annual Contributions applicable to Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Value of Contributions.		Value of Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Net Liability.
		Total.	Average per Member.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	
		£	s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
Sick allowances payable until the 70th year— During first six months' sickness, at 20s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	4,543		
During second six months' sickness, at 10s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	462		
After second six months' sickness, at 5s. per week	220	227·3	20 8	3,407	3,304	599	6,776	
Permanent allowances after the 70th year of £6 per annum, taken as equivalent to future sick claims	..	..	..	..	..	1,595		
Sums payable at death of members, at £20 ..	..	66·0	6 0	1,124	1,057	2,169	2,385	
,, ,, ,, wives, at £10 ..	134					424		
,, ,, ,, members at £20 in N.S.W. courts ..	159	47·7	6 0	869	817	1,456	1,647	
,, ,, ,, wives at £10 in N.S.W. courts	115					335		
,, ,, ,, future registered wives	..	..	..	..	..	..	53	
Total	628	341·0	26 8	5,400	5,178	11,583	10,861	5,683

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the Ovens and Murray

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	Number of Members.	Number of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age. Beginning of Quinquennium.	Average Age. End of Quinquennium.	Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions. Average Age.	Secessions. Average Duration of Membership.	Experience during Quinquennium greater (+) or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of the M.U., England, 1866–70. Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Rate of Interest. Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in the Valuation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
1	Robin Hood ...	Beechworth ...	1864	116	61	20 8	36¼	37¼	10½	28½	4⅜	− 32	−45	+ 30	4⅜	4
2	Stanley	Stanley... ...	1865	12	7	20 0	41	45	6¾	46	14	− 4	−76	− 11	2½	3
3	Little John ...	Bright	1865	47	34	21 3	39½	42½	12⅜	28½	4¼	+ 41	−38	+155	6½	5½
4	Greenwood ...	Yackandandah ...	1865	16	12	20 10	37¼	42	14	30	10	...	−81	+257	3½	3
5	Victor	Yarrawonga ...	1881	25	16	20 0	...	34¼	3¾	28½	2¼	− 40	−46	+448	0	3
6	District Members ...	...	...	4	4	20 0	44	48	9½	46	6	...	...	...	2½	3
	Total of Sick Funds			220	134	20 8	38	39	10¾	29¼	3¾	− 7	−49	+158	3½	...
	District Funeral Fund { Victoria... ...			220	134	6 0	38	39	10¾	29¼	3¾	− 7	−49	+158	3¼	3
	District Funeral Fund { New South Wales			159	115											
	The whole Society ... { Victoria... ...			220	134	26 8	38	39	10¾	29¼	3¾	− 7	−49	+158	3¼	...
	The whole Society ... { New South Wales			159	115											
	QUINQUENNIAL COMPARISON :—															
	Valuation of { 31st December, 1881 ...			305	178	26 10	...	38	8¾	36¼	6¾	− 6	+ 6	+223	4½	...
	Valuation of { 31st December, 1886 ...			379	249	26 8	...	39	10¾	29¼	3¾	− 7	−49	+158	3¼	...
	(*a*) Increase			74	71	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*b*) Decrease			...	...	0 2	...	...	...	7	3	1	55	65	1¼	...

Murray District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Whole Society.—Valuation Balance-Sheet.

Liabilities.	£	Assets.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives	10,808	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	3,952
Reserve for future registered wives	53	Value of members' contributions	5,178
		Deficiency	1,731
	£10,861		£10,861

Total of Court Sick Funds.—Valuation Balance-Sheet.

Liabilities.	£	Assets.	£
Value of benefits assured to members... ...	6,776	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	2,420
		Value of members' contributions	3,304
		Deficiency	1,052
	£6,776		£6,776

District Funeral Fund.—Valuation Balance-Sheet.

Liabilities	£	Assets.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives	4,032	Capital, as per secretary's return	1,532
Reserve for future registered wives	53	Value of members' contributions	1,874
		Deficiency	679
	£4,085		£4,085

District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Liabilities.			Assets.							Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—			
Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Surplus (+), Deficiency (−), per Member.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	No.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
3,345	...	...	1,776	1,047	2,823	...	522	9 1	− 4 10	10 8	6 3	16 11	1
501	...	...	184	294	478	...	23	24 10	− 1 18	7 4	11 9	19 1	2
1,214	...	...	557	600	1,157	...	57	12 15	− 1 4	9 2	9 11	19 1	3
643	...	...	265	223	488	...	155	13 19	− 9 14	8 3	6 11	15 2	4
899	...	...	464	85	549	...	350	3 8	−14 0	10 4	1 11	12 3	5
174	...	...	58	171	229	55	...	42 15	+13 15	6 8	19 8	26 4	6
6,776	...	...	3,304	2,420	5,724	[55 ...	1,107] 1,052	11 0	− 4 16	9 9	7 2	16 11	...
...	4,085	...	1,874	1,532	3,406	...	679	6 19	− 3 1	9 2	7 6	16 8	...
6,776	4,085	10,861	5,178	3,952	9,130	...	1,731	17 19	− 7 17	9 7	7 3	16 10	...
5,977	3,010	8,987	4,392	2,733	7,125	...	1,862	13 2	− 8 18	9 10	6 1	15 11	1881
6,776	4,085	10,861	5,178	3,952	9,130	...	1,731	17 19	− 7 17	9 7	7 3	16 10	1886
799	1,075	1,874	786	1,219	2,005	...	...	4 17	...	...	1 2	0 11	(a)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	...	1 1	0 3	...	...	(b)

TABLE showing the Relative Position of the Courts of the Ovens and Murray District A.O.F., as at the 31st Ratio of Contributions, Capital,

Relative Position.	Court.	1 Rate of Interest per Annum Realised.	Court.	2 Average Age.	Court.	Sickness—Actual Rate —the Expected Rate being taken as 100.	Court.
		%		Yrs.		Wks.	
1	Little John	6½	Victor	34¼	District Members ...	...	District Members ...
2	Robin Hood	4¾	Robin Hood	37¼	Greenwood	19	Stanley ... ...
3	Greenwood	3½	Greenwood	42	Stanley	24	Greenwood ... ...
4	Stanley	2½	Little John	42½	Victor	54	Little John ... ...
5	District Members ...	2½	Stanley	45	Robin Hood	55	Robin Hood ... ...
6	Victor	0	District Members ...	48	Little John	62	Victor ... ...

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. I have taken Ratcliffe's Experience of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows in England, 1866–70, as the basis af the Valuation Tables employed.

2. The results obtained in the first instance from the Valuation Tables have been modified, so as to approximate as closely as was considered expedient to the quantities which would have been brought out had such Tables been originally based on the quinquennial experience of the members of the Branches.

3. The value of the liabilities on account of the probable sickness after 70 years of age has been thus estimated :—The sum equivalent, at the date of the valuation, to an allowance of £6 per annum for life when 70 years of age has been set down to the account of each member, in lieu of the pay then claimable in case of sickness.

4. The values of the prospective income and outgo on account of members owing more than fourteen weeks' contributions have been excluded from the valuation.

5. The deficiency shown in the total of the Court Sick Funds I believe to be due to inadequate contributions. In order to make good such deficiency, I recommend that the contributions be made adequate to provide the benefits at the entry age, and that the deficiency then remaining be made good by levy.

6. The deficiency shown in the District Funeral Fund I believe to be due to inadequate contributions, together with insufficient capital, deficient interest, and loss of younger members. In order to made good such deficiency, I recommend the adoption of an adequate graduated scale of contributions.

7. The deficiency shown in the whole Society I believe to be due mainly to the inadequacy of the contributions to provide the benefits. In order to make good such deficiency, I recommend the Society to adopt an adequate graduated scale of contributions.

8. The provision made in the rules of the Society for the medical management and incidental expenses is a proportion of members' initiation fees and contributions (see Addendum, paragraph 4), honorary members' entrance fees and contributions (21s. and 2s. 6d. a quarter respectively), fines, and profit from sale of goods. The income under this head during the quinquennium was equal to the outgo. (See Addendum, paragraph 14.)

9. The following points call for remark in the District Funeral Fund :—In 1882, £5 was improperly debited to the Funeral Fund for "trustees' services"; the following sums belonging to the Funeral Fund were illegally used by the Management Fund during the quinquennium :—£168, £124, £119, £147, £125, £40 ; the funds were not closely invested, and laxity of management generally on the part of the District Officers is apparent.

Extracts from the Report of the Actuary on each Court.

No. 1.—Robin Hood.—The funds have been regularly and closely invested during the quinquennium at average rates of interest, and steady numerical and financial progress has been made.

No. 2.—Stanley.—In 1884, £22 only was stated to be invested at interest, and £249 not invested ; proper effort does not appear to have been put forth during the quinquennium to obtain fairly remunerative rates of interest.

No. 3.—Little John.—The funds have been regularly and closely invested during the quinquennium, and, with the exception of 1882, at remunerative rates of interest.

No. 4.—Greenwood.—During 1883-5, an overdue proportion of interest was assigned to the Medical and Management Fund.

No. 5.—Victor.—In 1885, the Sick Fund was debited with £21 10s. 9d. as "deficiency of former secretary and treasurer"; from £31 to £43 belonging to the Sick Fund was improperly used during the quinquennium by the Medical and Management Fund ; and the business of the Lodge generally appears not to have been properly managed.

No. 6.—District Members.—Proper attention does not appear to have been paid to the investment business during the quinquennium.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 6th September, 1888.

December, 1886, in respect of Rate of Interest, Average Age, Sickness Experience, Capital per Member, and and Assets to Liabilities in the £.

4 Capital per Member.	Court.	5 Ratio of Value of Contributions to Liabilities per £.	Court.	6 Ratio of Capital to Liabilities per £.	Court.	7 Ratio of Assets to Liabilities per £.	Relative Position.
£ s.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
42 15	Robin Hood	10 8	District Members ...	19 8	District Members... ...	26 4	1
24 10	Victor	10 4	Stanley	11 9	Stanley	19 1	2
13 19	Little John	9 2	Little John	9 11	Little John	19 1	3
12 15	Greenwood	8 3	Greenwood	6 11	Robin Hood	16 11	4
9 1	Stanley	7 4	Robin Hood	6 3	Greenwood	15 2	5
3 8	District Members... ...	6 8	Victor	1 11	Victor	12 3	6

Addendum by the Actuary to his Report on the Condition of the Ovens and Murray District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

This being the second occasion upon which a valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Society has been effected, an opportunity is given of ascertaining not only its financial position at the end of 1886, but also the progress, if any, it has made during the five years that have elapsed since the preceding investigation.

2. The benefits afforded to members are the same as they were in 1881 :—Medical attendance and medicine for the members, their wives and children, and the widows and children of deceased members ; the relief of sick members at the weekly rate of 20s., 10s., and 5s. for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd six months' and subsequent sickness ; the defraying the expenses of interment of deceased members and members' deceased wives at £20 and £10 respectively.

3. The rules relating to the contributions of members and the division thereof between the several funds are as follow:—"35. Each Court shall pay to the District 1s. 6d. per quarter for every financial member over three months in the Order, and 3s. for every new member, for a Funeral Fund." "79. No person shall be admitted a financial member of this Order who is under the age of 18 years ; the charges for initiation to be not less than as follow:—18 to 25, £1 5s.; 25 to 30, £1 10s.; 30 to 35, £1 15s.; 35 to 40, £2 10s." "79A. Persons of the age of 38 years and under 40 years shall pay a further sum of £1, and persons 40 and under 45 years shall pay a further sum of 10s., by way of initiation fee, in addition to the fees heretofore payable." "80. Every member of the Court shall contribute to the funds thereof not less than is provided in the following scale :—If under 38 years of age at the time of admission, 4s. per (lunar) month ; if under 40, 5s. per month. This scale shall not apply to those who are members of the Order at the time of these Laws coming into operation ; their contributions to be the same as formerly." "80A. Members of the Court initiated after the registration of these rules (*i.e.*, 21st August, 1879) . . . shall contribute to the funds thereof according to the following scale, in addition to the contributions heretofore payable :—25 to 30, 6d. additional per month ; 30 to 35, 1s. additional ; 35 to 38, 1s. 6d. additional ; 38 to 40, 1s. additional." "126. Division of funds : To the General (*i.e.*, Sick and Funeral) Fund one-half of the proposition and initiation fees, together with 6d. per week contributions of every member, for the purpose of paying the sick allowance and the District funeral levies. To the Incidental (*i.e.*, Medical and Management) Fund, all fines, one-half of the proposition and initiation fees, with the remainder of the contributions, together with 1s. each per quarter, for the purpose of paying the Surgeon's fees and other expenses of management." "126A. The increased payments made by members on account of age over the sum of 5s. per month shall be paid to the General Fund."

4. In May, 1887, the Society obtained from this office a graduated scale of contributions adequate to provide the benefits; but it does not appear that such scale has been adopted, members' payments to the several funds being the same in the present valuation as they were in 1881 ; these are given in the subjoined Table :—

Contributions 1881 and 1886.

Age at Entry.	Initiation Fees.				Contributions.				
	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Per Month, with 1s. per Quarter added.	Per Annum.			
						Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s.	s. d.	s. d.	s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s.
18–25	25	12 6	9 6	3	4 0	56 0	30 0	20 0	6
25–30	30	15 0	12 0	3	4 6	62 6	36 6	20 0	6
30–35	35	17 6	14 6	3	5 0	69 0	43 0	20 0	6
35–38	50	25 0	22 0	3	5 6	75 6	43 0	26 6	6
38–40	70	35 0	32 0	3	6 0	82 0	43 0	33 0	6
40–45	60 with back contributions from 40	30 0 with ½ back contributions from 40	25 0 with 5/12 back contributions from 40	5 with 1/12 back contributions from 40	6 0	82 0	43 0	33 0	6

5. The sum of 5s. a year is paid to the District Funeral Fund on account of a wife over 40 years of age; and a member having received the funeral donation on the death of his wife, pays to the District, on his re-marriage, the registration fee of 10s. 6d., and 4s. a quarter during his membership and his second wife's lifetime. (Laws Nos. 35, 43, 79, 79A, 80, 80A, 126, 126A, 143.)

6. The manner in which the periodic contributions are apportioned between the Sick Fund and the Funeral Fund makes it necessary that the assets and liabilities in respect to sickness should be valued in each Court, and those in respect to funeral claims in the District, taken as a distinct branch, comprising the entire membership in the Courts in Victoria and across the Murray in New South Wales.

7. The results of the valuation of the total Court Sick Funds in 1881 and 1886 are as follow:—

SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	209	20 10	5,977	2,936	1,506	4,442	1,535	7 4	7 7	9 10	5 1	14 11
1886	220	20 8	6,776	3,304	2,420	5,724	1,052	11 0	4 16	9 9	7 2	16 11
Increase ...	11	...	799	368	914	1,282	...	3 16	...	...	2 1	2 0
Decrease ...	...	0 2	...	...	...	...	483	...	2 11	0 1	...	...

8. On comparing the position of the aggregate Court Sick Funds in the first and second valuations, it is seen that the membership has increased by 11, paying on the average per annum 2d. less per member; the liabilities have increased by £800, and the value of the contributions, capital, and assets by £370, £900, and £1,300 respectively, and the capital per member by £3 16s.; the deficiency has decreased by £480, and by £2 11s. per member. The relative position is best shown by the ratio of the assets to the liabilities per £, where it will be observed that the contributions are less in value in 1886 than in 1881 by 1d. in the £, and the capital and assets greater by 2s. 1d. and 2s. in the £ respectively. The contributions have not increased in value as quickly as the sick claims, while the accumulated fund has increased more quickly.

9. The subjoined Table presents a statement of the financial position of the District Funeral Fund in 1881 and 1886, the contributions and claims of members of Courts situated in New South Wales, which belong to this District, being taken into account:—

FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	Number of Members.	Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	209 with 96 in N.S.W.	6 0	3,010	1,456	1,227	2,683	327	5 18	1 11	9 8	8 2	17 10
1886	220 with 159 in N.S.W.	6 0	4,085	1,874	1,532	3,406	679	6 19	3 1	9 2	7 6	16 8
Increase ...	11 with 63 in N.S.W.	...	1,075	418	305	723	352	1 1	1 10	...	...	...
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 6	0 8	1 2

10. It will be noticed that the increase since 1881 of 74 members, principally in New South Wales, and in their valuation age, has increased the liabilities from £3,000, equal to £10 4s. per member, to £4,100, or £10 16s. per member—that is, by nearly £1,100, or by 12s. per member—while the value of the contributions, the capital, and the assets have increased by a little over £400, £300, and £700 respectively only. The deficiency has thus increased by nearly £360, and by 30s. per member. The capital has increased relatively to the membership by 21s., but relatively to the liabilities the value of the contributions the capital and the assets have decreased to the extent severally of 6d., 8d., and 1s. 2d. in the £. In this case the funeral claims have risen more rapidly in value than both the contributions and the accumulated fund.

11. The figures relating to the Society as a whole are as under:—

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay and Sums at Death.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ *s.*	£ *s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1881	209 with 96 in N.S.W.	26 10	8,987	4,392	2,733	7,125	1,862	13 2	8 18	9 10	6 1	15 11
1886	220 with 159 in N.S.W.	26 8	10,861	5,178	3,952	9,130	1,731	17 19	7 17	9 7	7 3	16 10
Increase ...	11 with 63 in N.S.W.	...	1,874	786	1,219	2,005	...	4 17	...	...	1 2	0 11
Decrease ...	...	0 2	...	...	...	...	131	...	1 1	0 3	...	...

12. When the Funeral Fund of the District and the Sick Funds of the subordinate Courts are taken together, it is seen that the liabilities in the valuation of 1886 are greater than those of 1881 by nearly £1,900, and the assets greater by £2,000; there is thus the slight improvement in the position of the Society of £130. As was shown above (paragraph 7), the assets of the aggregate Court Sick Funds have increased relatively to the liabilities since 1881 by 2s. in the £; but the assets of the District Funeral Fund, the members in N.S.W. being taken into account, have decreased by 1s. 2d. in the £ (paragraph 9); the result being that the Society as a whole is in a better financial position in 1886 than it was in 1881 by 11d. in the £. The Sick claims and Funeral claims taken together have increased more quickly in value than the contributions, but less quickly than the capital.

13. To enable members readily to see which Courts have been a source of strength to the Society, which a source of weakness, and why, I have given a list of the Courts arranged in order according to certain elements which affect the position of a Branch in a valuation (see Table of Relative Position of Courts). The Courts are given therein in the order of—(1) Average rate of interest realised during the five years 1882–86; (2) Average valuation ages of members; (3) Rate of actual sickness relatively to expected rate according to Ratcliffe's experience of the M.U., England, 1866–70; (4) Capital per member; and (5), (6), (7), Ratio per £ to liabilities of value of contributions, capital, and assets.

14. The progress of the funds of the Society during the quinquennium is shown in the subjoined Table:—

QUINQUENNIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT 1882–86.

	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Both Funds.
	£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*
Funds, 1st January 1882 ...	2,733 1 11	— 44 5 8	2,688 16 3
Receipts, 1882–86—			
Contributions	1,550 2 11¾	1,933 4 10¼	3,483 7 10
Levies	...	352 12 4	352 12 4
Entrance Fees	118 2 9	118 17 3	237 0 0
Interest	654 3 0	15 2 0	669 5 0
Sundries	251 15 1	706 19 1	958 14 2
Total	2,574 3 9¾	3,126 15 6¼	5,700 19 4
Expenditure, 1882–86—			
Sick Pay	778 4 9	...	778 4 9
Funeral Donations ...	330 0 0	...	330 0 0
Medical Attendance ...	...	1,627 10 10	1,627 10 10
Management	...	913 9 0	913 9 0
Sundries	247 14 3	477 13 9	725 8 0
Total	1,355 19 0	3,018 13 7	4,374 12 7
Increase, 1882–86	1,218 4 9¾	108 1 11¼	1,326 6 9
Funds, 31st December 1886	3,951 6 8¾	63 16 3¼	4,015 3 0

15. When I sent to the Society, in May 1887, as requested, a Table of Contributions which I considered adequate to provide the benefits, I took occasion to recommend that the Rules dealing with members' payments should be amended and simplified in the way I proceeded to explain. As it is probable that this Report will be more generally circulated amongst the members than was the communication referred to, I think it will be an advantage to repeat such recommendations here. What I then wrote is as follows :—

"1. Assuming that you will avail yourselves of the present opportunity to remodel and consolidate your Laws dealing with members' contributions, I submit for your consideration the two suggestions following :—

"2. If the scale of contributions sent herewith is made to apply to all members, present and future, the most equitable course, and that adopted by one Society, the Melbourne Grand Division, O.S.T. (See Eighth Annual Report, 1885, page xvi., paragraph 33); Laws

Nos. 80, 80A. 82, 126, and 126A might be omitted, and this Law substituted in lieu thereof—No. 80. The following shall be the rate of contributions payable by all members, whether initiated prior or subsequent to the registration of these Amended Laws, and the proportion to be placed to the credit of the several funds :—

Age at Entry.	Contributions per Lunar Month appropriated to the—				
	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Total.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
16–19	1 7	0 5	2 0	2 4	4 4
19–23	1 9	0 7	2 4	2 4	4 8
23–27	2 0	0 8	2 8	2 4	5 0
27–30	2 3	0 9	3 0	2 4	5 4
30–33	2 6	0 10	3 4	2 4	5 8
33–36	2 9	0 11	3 8	2 4	6 0
36–38	3 0	1 0	4 0	2 4	6 4
38–40	3 3	1 1	4 4	2 4	6 8

"3. You will, of course, replace 2s. 4d. per month entered above in the Medical and Management Fund column for the sake of completing the Table, if not acceptable, by whatever sum you may consider necessary to defray Medical and Management expenses, to be supplemented by a levy when required.

"4. The monthly contributions assigned to the several funds under the existing Laws appear to be as follow :—

Age at Entry.	Contributions per Lunar Month appropriated to the—				
	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Total.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
18–25	1 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$	2 0	2 $3\frac{9}{13}$	4 $3\frac{9}{13}$
25–30	1 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$	2 0	2 $9\frac{9}{13}$	4 $9\frac{9}{13}$
30–35	1 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$	2 0	3 $3\frac{9}{13}$	5 $3\frac{9}{13}$
35–38	2 $0\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$	2 6	3 $3\frac{9}{13}$	5 $9\frac{9}{13}$
38–40	2 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$	3 0	3 $3\frac{9}{13}$	6 $3\frac{9}{13}$

"5. If these rates were re-apportioned between the funds in the following manner, a great improvement would be effected in both the Sick Fund and the Funeral Fund, without actually increasing members' present contributions :—

Age at Entry.	Contributions per Lunar Month appropriated to the—				
	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Total.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
18–25	1 7	0 5	2 0	2 4	4 4
25–30	1 11	0 7	2 6	2 4	4 10
30–35	2 3	0 9	3 0	2 4	5 4
35–38	2 8	0 10	3 6	2 4	5 10
38–40	3 0	1 0	4 0	2 4	6 4

"6. Should you see fit to send me a copy of your proposed Revised Laws *before they are finally dealt with* by the Society, I might be able to suggest amendments therein.—(20th May, 1887.)"

16. I may point out that there would be some gain in simplicity and facility of division if, when adopting the recommendations contained in paragraphs 2 and 5 of the above letter, columns (2) and (3) of the tables were omitted, and column (4) were made to read thus :—Sick and Funeral Fund, whereof one-fourth is to be paid to the District Funeral Fund ; or the statement that one-fourth of the sick and funeral contributions is to be appropriated to the District Funeral Fund may be added at the end of the tables.

17. In this Society members joining between the ages 18 and 35 pay, at present, a uniform monthly contribution to the Sick Fund, a uniform contribution to the Funeral Fund, and a contribution increasing with each quinquennial interval of age to the Medical and Management Fund. I have repeatedly drawn attention to the inequitable character of this arrangement. If members were asked to state their reason for requiring a candidate just under the age of 35 to pay 1s. more per month than one admitted at the age of 18, they would probably reply, "Because the older a man is when he joins one of our Courts the heavier is the liability which the District assumes on his behalf." "In what respect ? Do you have to pay more for medical attendance, medicine, and management for the older than for the younger member ?" "No; but it costs more for sick pay, and we expect to part with the funeral donations sooner, while, of course, the contributions of the older members will be fewer in number than those of the younger, and less, therefore, in amount." "That is a good reason for appropriating increased payments to the Sick Fund and to the Funeral Fund, *which you have not done*, but not for crediting them to the Medical and Management Fund, *which you have done.*" All the equities of the case would be met if the initiation fees and monthly contributions payable to the latter fund were fixed at uniform rates, irrespective of age.

18. I have now for the second time shown the members how they can, with a minimum amount of alteration, re-adjust the contributions to the several funds upon a sounder and more equitable basis, and I hope that no further delay will be permitted to take place before the scale of contributions which I furnished to the Society is adopted, and the anomalies of the present system of apportioning members' payments removed.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 6th September, 1888.

THE SECOND VALUATION OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, UNITED PORTLAND DISTRICT.

Letter from the Government Statist to the District Secretary, forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1888.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Report of the Actuary to this Office on the condition of the Portland District A.O.F., together with an abstract of the results of his valuation as at the 31st December, 1886, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. In the position of the Sick Funds of the Courts, taken in the aggregate, some improvement has, I perceive, taken place since the first investigation was made in 1881; but with regard to the District Funeral Fund, the extremely adverse financial condition of 1881 has, I notice, become still more unfavorable in 1886.

3. I have to express my regret that the improvements that were effected in the contributions were not made earlier than July, 1887, that an increase was not made in the payments of the then existing members, and that, with respect to future members, an adequate graduated scale of contributions was not adopted.

I have, &c.,

H. H. HAYTER,
Government Statist.

C. Trickey, Esq., D.S., A.O.F., Portland Dist.,
Percy street, Portland.

ABSTRACT of the Valuation of the Portland District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS OF THE VALUATION.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of Benefits.	Annual Contributions applicable to Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Value of Contributions.		Value of Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Net Liability.
		Total.	Average per Member.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	
		£	s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
Sick allowances payable until the 70th year—								
During first six months' sickness, at 20s. per week						9,021		
During second six months' sickness, at 10s. per week						1,009		
After second six months' sickness, at 5s. per week	435	503·1	23 2	7,050	6,882	1,366	16,058	
Permanent allowances after the 70th year of £6 per annum, taken as equivalent to future sick claims						5,115		
Sums payable at death of members, at £20 ..	..	87·0	4 0	1,273	1,273	4,372	4,930	
,, ,, ,, wives, at £10 ..	310					998		
,, ,, ,, widows, at £10 ..	16	4·8	6 0	56	42	95	71	
,, ,, ,, contingent widows (reserve)	..	..	..	..	..	..	158	
Total	761	594·9	27 2	8,379	8,197	21,976	21,217	13,020

WHOLE SOCIETY.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	20,988	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	8,424
,, ,, ,, widows	71	Value of members' contributions	8,155
,, ,, ,, reserve for contingent widows	158	,, widows' contributions	42
		Deficiency	4,596
	£21,217		£21,217

TOTAL OF COURT SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members	16,058	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	8,001
		Value of members' contributions	6,882
		Deficiency	1,175
	£16,058		£16,058

DISTRICT FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	4,930	Capital, as per secretary's return	423
,, ,, ,, widows	71	Value of members' contributions	1,273
,, ,, ,, reserve for contingent widows	158	,, widows' contributions	42
		Deficiency	3,421
	£5,159		£5,159

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the Portland

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	Number of Members.	Number of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age. Beginning of Quinquennium.	Average Age. End of Quinquennium.	Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions. Average Age.	Secessions. Average Duration of Membership	Experience during Quinquennium greater (+) or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of the M.U., England, 1866–70. Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Rate of Interest. Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in future.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
1	The Hope	Portland ...	1858	140	106	22 8	43¼	47	18½	40	10¼	− 65	− 14	+ 29	3¼	3
2	Prosperity	Portland ...	1859	41	29	26 0	43	50	19	35	10¼	− 79	+ 2	+ 66	4¼	3½
3	Brotherhood ...	Hamilton ...	1860	68	45	23 9	43¼	43¾	13¾	35	8	− 49	− 58	+ 77	7¼	5½
4	Perseverance ...	Digby	1861	52	40	23 8	41	42¾	14½	40½	6¼	...	− 55	+ 30	2¾	3
5	Caledonia	Sandford ...	1863	102	62	22 0	38¾	43¼	13¾	30½	5¾	− 55	− 29	+ 88	3¾	3½
6	Prince Alfred ...	Port Fairy ...	1868	32	28	22 11	34½	38¾	12	36	7¾	− 52	− 37	+ 33	4¼	4
	Total of Sick Funds	...		435	310	23 2	41	44¾	15¾	34¾	7¼	− 65	− 26	+ 4	4¼	...
	District Funeral Fund ...	...		435	310	4 0	41	44¾	15¾	34¾	7¼	− 65	− 26	+ 4	3½	3½
	The whole Society	...		435	310	27 2	41	44¾	15¾	34¾	7¼	− 65	− 26	+ 4	4¼	...
	QUINQUENNIAL COMPARISON:—															
	Valuation of { 31st December, 1881	...		472	354	27 6	...	41	12	32¾	6¼	− 35	− 27	+115	4¼	...
	{ 31st December, 1886	...		435	310	27 2	...	44¾	15¾	34¾	7¼	− 65	− 26	+ 4	4¼	...
	(*a*) Increase ...	...		...	...	...	...	3¾	3¾	2	1	...	1	...	...	...
	(*b*) Decrease ...	...		37	44	0 4	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	111	...	...

TABLE showing the Relative Position of the Courts of the Portland District A.O.F., as at the 31st Ratio of Contributions, Capital,

Relative Position.	Court.	1 Rate of Interest per Annum Realised.	Court.	2 Average Age.	Court.	Sickness—Actual Rate to the Expected Rate being taken as 100.	Court.
		%		Yrs.		Wks.	
1	Brotherhood	7¼	Prince Alfred	38¾	Brotherhood	42	Prosperity ... ...
2	Prosperity	4¼	Perseverance	42¾	Perseverance	45	Brotherhood ... ...
3	Prince Alfred	4¼	Caledonia	43¼	Prince Alfred	63	Perseverance ... ...
4	Caledonia	3¾	Brotherhood	43¾	Caledonia	71	Caledonia ... ...
5	The Hope	3¼	The Hope	47	The Hope	86	The Hope ... ...
6	Perseverance	2¾	Prosperity	50	Prosperity	102	Prince Alfred ... ...

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. I have taken Ratcliffe's Experience of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows in England, 1866–70, as the basis of the Valuation Tables employed.

2. The results obtained in the first instance from the Valuation Tables have been modified, so as to approximate as closely as was considered expedient to the quantities which would have been brought out had such Tables been originally based on the quinquennial experience of the members of the Branches.

3. The value of the liabilities on account of the probable sickness after 70 years of age has been thus estimated :—The sum equivalent, at the date of the valuation, to an allowance of £6 per annum for life when 70 years of age has been set down to the account of each member, in lieu of the pay then claimable in case of sickness.

4. The values of the prospective income and outgo on account of members owing sixteen weeks' contributions have been excluded from the valuation.

5. The deficiency shown in the total of the Court Sick Funds I believe to be due to the inadequacy of the contributions to provide the benefits; from columns 7, 9, and 10 of the Tabular Summary above, it will be seen that existing members entered the Society at the average age of 29 years, paying 23s. 2d. per annum, or 1s. 9¼d. per lunar month, to the Sick Fund; at every entry age above 20 or so, this contribution is insufficient. In order to make good such deficiency, I recommend that an increase be made in the contributions of existing members who joined under the age of 38, and a still greater increase in that of those admitted under 30, so as to make them adequate to provide the sickness benefits they are receiving.

6. The deficiency shown in the District Funeral Fund I believe to be due to the utter inadequacy of the uniform contribution at all ages of 1s. a quarter to provide the funeral benefits, being too low at even the youngest age at which members were permitted to enter the Society. In order to make good such deficiency, I recommend the adoption of an adequate graduated scale of contributions payable to the District Funeral Fund.

District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Liabilities.			Assets.							Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—			
Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Surplus (+), Deficiency (−), per Member.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	No.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
5,906	...	...	2,272	2,020	4,292	...	1,614	14 9	− 11 11	7 9	6 10	14 7	1
1,683	...	...	664	1,182	1,846	163	...	28 17	+ 4 0	7 11	14 0	21 11	2
1,855	...	...	886	1,917	2,803	948	...	28 4	+13 19	9 7	20 8	30 3	3
1,865	...	...	897	895	1,792	...	73	17 4	− 1 8	9 8	9 7	19 3	4
3,753	...	...	1,633	1,662	3,295	...	458	16 6	− 4 10	8 9	8 10	17 7	5
996	...	...	530	325	855	...	141	10 3	− 4 4	10 8	6 6	17 2	6
						[1,111	2,286]						
16,058	...	...	6,882	8,001	14,883	...	1,175	18 8	− 2 14	8 7	10 0	18 7	...
...	5,159	...	1,315	423	1,738	...	3,421	0 19	− 7 17	5 1	1 8	6 9	...
16,058	5,159	21,217	8,197	8,424	16,621	...	4,596	19 7	− 10 11	7 9	7 11	15 8	...
15,536	4,978	20,514	9,173	6,799	15,972	...	4,542	14 8	− 9 12	8 11	6 8	15 7	1881
16,058	5,159	21,217	8,197	8,424	16,621	...	4,596	19 7	− 10 11	7 9	7 11	15 8	1886
522	181	703	...	1,625	649	...	54	4 19	0 19	...	1 3	0 1	(*a*)
...	...	...	976	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 2	...	...	(*b*)

December, 1886, in respect of Rate of Interest, Average Age, Sickness Experience, Capital per Member, and and Assets to Liabilities in the £.

4		5		6		7	
Capital per Member.	Court.	Ratio of Value of Contributions to Liabilities per £.	Court.	Ratio of Capital to Liabilities per £.	Court.	Ratio of Assets to Liabilities per £.	Relative Position.
£ s.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
28 17	Prince Alfred	10 8	Brotherhood	20 8	Brotherhood	30 3	1
28 4	Perseverance	9 8	Prosperity	14 0	Prosperity	21 11	2
17 4	Brotherhood	9 7	Perseverance	9 7	Perseverance	19 3	3
16 6	Caledonia	8 9	Caledonia	8 10	Caledonia	17 7	4
14 9	Prosperity	7 11	The Hope	6 10	Prince Alfred	17 2	5
10 3	The Hope	7 9	Prince Alfred	6 6	The Hope	14 7	6

7. The deficiency shown in the whole Society I believe to be due to inadequate contributions. In order to make good such deficiency, I recommend the adoption of a scale of contributions adequate to provide the sick benefits and the funeral benefits at every entry age.

8. The capital in the District Funeral Fund has nearly doubled during the quinquennium, but the returns from investments have been somewhat meagre.

Extracts from the Report of the Actuary on each Court.

No. 1.—The Hope.—Little progress was made during the quinquenniun, and the interest realised, especially in the early years, was inadequate, which is probably to be accounted for, to a great extent, by £700 having been invested in a hall, whence no return was received. In 1884, £54 expended in furniture was improperly debited to the Sick Fund.

No. 2.—Prosperity.—In 1885, the amount expended for sick pay was more than double the income from contributions; the returns from investments during the quinquennium would probably have been higher had not £200 been invested in a hall.

No. 3.—Brotherhood.—The funds have been regularly invested during the quinquennium with tolerable closeness and at a high rate of interest, £540, equal to 45 per cent., having been added to the capital during the period from this source.

No. 4.—Perseverance.—About £400 was invested unproductively during the quinquennium in a hall, which probably accounts for the small amount of interest received.

No. 5.—Caledonia.—£304 was invested during the quinquennium in a hall, this has had probably an adverse effect on the interest returns; in 1884, £11 interest was misappropriated to the Medical and Management Fund.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1888.

Addendum by the Actuary to his Report on the Condition of the Portland District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

This being the second occasion upon which the Society has submitted its affairs to the test of an actuarial investigation, an opportunity is given of ascertaining not only its financial position at the end of 1886, but also the progress, if any, it has made during the five years that have elapsed since the preceding valuation was effected. To enable members to make this comparison the more readily, the figures relating to the valuation of 1881 have been entered by the side of those furnished for the first time on the present occasion.

2. The benefits given to members are the same as in 1881 :—Medical attendance to members, their wives, children and widows if re-assured ; sick pay to members at 20s., 10s., and 5s. per week for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd six months and subsequent sickness ; sums payable at death—£20 in the case of a member, £10 in that of a wife or widow.

3. The valuation of 1881 came into the possession of the Society in November, 1883, and in July, 1887, some amendments were made in the Laws affecting the contributions of those members only who should thereafter be initiated. The following is a statement of the Initiation Fees payable prior to and subsequent to the 1st July, 1887 :—

Initiation Fees.—Before and on and after the 1st July, 1887.

Age at Entry.	Before the 1st July, 1887.				On and after the 1st July, 1887.		
	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Total.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
Under 20	15	7 6	5 0	2 6	7 6	5 0	2 6
20	21	10 6	8 0	2 6			
21	22	11 0	8 6	2 6			
22	23	11 6	9 0	2 6	12 0	9 6	2 6
23	24	12 0	9 6	2 6			
24	25	12 6	10 0	2 6			
25	26	13 0	10 6	2 6	13 6	11 6	2 6
26	27	13 6	11 0	2 6			
27	28	14 0	11 6	2 6			
28	29	14 6	12 0	2 6	20 0	17 6	2 6
29	30	15 0	12 6	2 6			
30	31	15 6	13 0	2 6	31 0	28 6	2 6
31	32	16 0	13 6	2 6	32 0	29 6	2 6
32	33	16 6	14 0	2 6	33 0	30 6	2 6
33	34	17 0	14 6	2 6	34 0	31 6	2 6
34	35	17 6	15 0	2 6	35 0	32 6	2 6
35	36	18 0	15 6	2 6	36 0	33 6	2 6
36	37	18 6	16 0	2 6	37 0	34 6	2 6
37	38	19 0	16 6	2 6	38 0	35 6	2 6
38	39	19 6	17 0	2 6	39 0	36 6	2 6
39	40	20 0	17 6	2 6	40 0	37 6	2 6
40–45	60 with back contributions from 40.	30 0 with $\frac{5}{12}$ back contributions from 40.	27 6 with $\frac{1}{2}$ back contributions from 40.	2 6 with $\frac{1}{12}$ back contributions from 40.	60 0 with back contributions from 40.	57 6 with $\frac{7}{12}$ back contributions from 40.	2 6 with $\frac{1}{12}$ back contributions from 40.

4. The periodic contributions of members who joined the Society prior to July, 1887, being the rate paid by all the members included in the valuation, are given in the subjoined Table, as well as the amended scale then adopted in respect to future members :—

Contributions.—Before and on and after the 1st July, 1887.

Age at Entry.	Before the 1st July, 1887.					On and after the 1st July, 1887.				
	Per Lunar Month, with 1s. per Quarter in addition.	Per Annum.				Per Lunar Month, with 1s. per Quarter in addition.	Per Annum.			
		Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s.*
Under 30	4 0	56 0	30	22 0	4	4 0	56 0	30	22 0	4
30–35	4 6	62 6	30	28 6	4	5 0	69 0	30	35 0	4
35–38	5 0	69 0	30	35 0	4	5 6	75 6	30	41 6	4
38–40	6 0	82 0	30	48 0	4	6 6	88 6	30	54 6	4
40–45	6 0	82 0	30	48 0	4	6 6	88 6	30	54 6	4

5. On account of wives over 40 years of age, 5s. a year is paid ; 3s. a quarter is paid for second wives, and 10s. at entry; a widow paying 1s. 6d. a quarter is entitled to £10 at death so long as she continues a widow. By the Amended Laws of the 1st July, 1887, the registration fee for a wife is—If under 30, 2s. 6d.; 30 to 35, 5s.; over 35, 7s. 6d.

6. Owing to the manner in which the contributions are appropriated between the Sick Fund and the Funeral Fund, it was necessary to value the sick claims in the individual Courts, and the funeral claims in the District taken as a distinct branch embracing the entire membership.

7. The following is the financial position of the aggregate Court Sick Funds in the valuation of 1881 and 1886 :—

COURT SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—		
			Value of Sick Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	472	23 6	15,536	7,610	6,582	14,192	1,344	13 19	2 17	9 10	8 5	18 3
1886	435	23 2	16,058	6,882	8,001	14,883	1,175	18 8	2 14	8 7	10 0	18 7
Increase ...	...	...	522	...	1,419	691	...	4 9	...	...	1 7	0 4
Decrease ...	37	0 4	...	728	...	...	169	...	0 3	1 3	...	...

8. When the figures relating to the valuations of 1881 and 1886 are brought into comparison, it is seen that the membership has decreased in the five years by 37, paying on the average 4d. per annum less to the Sick Fund, showing that a greater majority of the members of 1886 joined under 30 than those of 1881. Notwithstanding the reduction in numbers, the liabilities have increased by over £500; this is mainly due to the advance in the age from 41 to nearly 44 years. The value of the contributions has decreased by upwards of £700, owing to the decrease of members and rate of contributions and increase in age ; the capital has increased by over £1,400, and by £4 9s. per member, making a net increase in the assets of £690; the deficiency has been reduced by £170, and by 3s. per member. Relatively to the sick claims, the contributions have decreased in value by 1s. 3d. in the £, and the capital has increased by 1s. 7d. in the £ ; the net result being that the aggregate Sick Funds are in a better position in 1886 than they were in 1881 by 4d. in the £.

9. The following is a comparison of the financial position in 1881 and 1886 of the Sick Funds of the individual Courts, the sick pay after 70 years of age being in both cases taken as equal to an annuity of £6 a year:—

Court.	Surplus.		Deficiency.	
	1881. £	1886. £	1881. £	1886. £
Hope	...	...	1,158	1,614
Prosperity	240	163	...	...
Brotherhood	377	948	...	...
Perseverance	...	...	81	73
Caledonia	...	...	653	458
Prince Alfred	...	...	173	141
Tranquility	104	...	...	...
Total	721	1,111	2,065	2,286
Net deficiency	...	...	1,344	1,175

10. The position of the District Funeral Fund in the valuation of 1881 and 1886 was as under :—

DISTRICT FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—		
			Value of Sums at Death.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	472	4 0	4,978	1,563	217	1,780	3,198	0 9	6 15	6 3	0 11	7 2
1886	435	4 0	5,159	1,315	423	1,738	3,421	0 19	7 17	5 1	1 8	6 9
Increase ...	...	...	181	...	206	...	223	0 10	1 2	...	0 9	...
Decrease ...	37	...	...	248	...	42	...	...	...	1 2	...	0 5

11. The value of funeral claims was, it is seen, greater in 1886 than in 1881 by £180, the value of contributions less by £250, the capital greater by £210 and by 10s. per member, and the assets therefore less by £40, increasing the deficiency by £220 and by 22s. per member. Relatively to the liabilities, the contributions have decreased in value by 1s. 2d. in the £, the capital has increased by 9d. in the £, the net result being that the fund is in a worse position in 1886 than it was in 1881 by 5d. in the £, the assets, present and prospective, being insufficient to meet the future claims at the former period by 12s. 10d. in the £, and in the latter period by 13s. 3d. in the £.

12. The exceptionally adverse condition of the District Funeral Fund in the valuation of 1881 was referred to in these terms (see Sixth Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies, 1883, Appendix A, page lvii., paragraph 11):—

"It will be noticed that the adverse position of the Society is due almost entirely to the extremely unfavorable condition of the District Funeral Fund; the immediate attention of the members should therefore be given to the re-adjustment of the contributions payable thereto. It will be obvious, on consideration, that the Courts will not be able to increase the sum per member remitted to the District unless the required increase is made in the periodic payments received by them from members. Should this not be done, the complete exhaustion of the Funeral Fund is merely a question of time ; levies on the Courts will have merely the effect of prolonging the existence of the Funeral Fund at the expense of the Sick Fund."

13. The critical state of the fund in 1881 and its retrogression during the succeeding quinquennium may also be shown in this way: To bring up the assets to an equality with the liabilities in 1881, members' payments should have been increased from 1s. a quarter to 3s. a quarter, or its equivalent according to a graduated scale, while to extinguish the deficiency in 1886 it would be necessary to raise the contributions from 1s. a quarter to 3s. 7d. a quarter.

14. When the Court Sick Funds and the District Funeral Fund are taken together, the result is as under :—

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	Number of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay and Sums at Death.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	472	27 6	20,514	9,173	6,799	15,972	4,542	14 8	9 12	8 11	6 8	15 7
1886	435	27 2	21,217	8,197	8,424	16,621	4,596	19 7	10 11	7 9	7 11	15 8
Increase ...	...	...	703	...	1,625	649	54	4 19	0 19	...	1 3	0 1
Decrease ...	37	0 4	...	976	...	...	...	...	...	1 2	...	...

15. When a comparison is instituted between the positions at the first and second valuation of the Sick and Funeral Funds combined, it is seen that the total liabilities have increased by £700, the value of the contributions has decreased by £980, but the capital has increased by £1,630, and the assets, therefore, by £650, the result being that the deficiency has increased by £50 absolutely, but relatively to the liabilities, the true test of comparative progress, the deficiency has decreased by 1d. in the £.

16. Upon the scale of payments to be made by existing and future members, I desire to submit the following observations :—

It is to be regretted that the members of this Society, when they decided to increase the payments of future members only, did not at once adopt an adequate graduated scale of contributions, as has been done by the I.O.R., M.U.I.O.O.F., A.N.A., P.A.F.S., A.O.F. (Bendigo District), and Court Unity (see "Societies which have increased their contributions since the valuation"—9th Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies, 1886, p. xii., paragraph 29).

(*a*) The monthly payments of the members in the Society prior to the amendments of the Laws, and of such members still, are *substantially*, *i.e.* eliminating small fractions of a penny, as follow :—

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTIONS PAYABLE BY MEMBERS ADMITTED PRIOR TO THE 1ST JULY, 1887.

Entry Age.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
18—30 ...	4 4	2 4	1 8	0 4	2 0
30—35 ...	4 10	2 4	2 2	0 4	2 6
35—38 ...	5 4	2 4	2 8	0 4	3 0
38—40 ...	6 4	2 4	3 8	0 4	4 0

(*b*) It will be observed that in the division of the funds this Society does not err in the direction of increasing the contributions payable to the Medical and Management Fund, an error into which nearly all the other Districts of the A.O.F. have fallen; but the whole of the increase-for-age payments are assigned to the Sick Fund (in the appropriation of the entrance fees this Society has, in its last amendment of Laws, it will also be noticed—see paragraph 3, *ante*—completely removed this anomaly, no portion thereof being now payable to the Medical and Management Fund). The defects of the above scale are that the payments to the Sick Fund are too low at ages 35–38, still more so at ages 30–35, and altogether insufficient at ages 18–30; the early steps of the graduation are too wide, more especially the one step of 12 years from 18 to 30, and the payments to the Funeral Fund are not graduated at all, and are quite inadequate.

(*c*) In July 1887 the following scale was adopted, but with respect, as has been already stated, to future members only :—

MONTHLY CONTRIBUTIONS PAYABLE BY MEMBERS JOINING ON AND AFTER THE 1ST JULY, 1887.

Entry Age.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
16—30 ...	4 4	2 4	1 8	0 4	2 0
30—35 ...	5 4	2 4	2 8	0 4	3 0
35—38 ...	5 10	2 4	3 2	0 4	3 6
38—40 ...	6 10	2 4	4 2	0 4	4 6

(*d*) The nature of the amendments is seen to be an increase in the payments assigned to the Sick Fund of members admitted at the ages 30 to 40, the least defective portion of the Table; but no increase was made in the contributions of members joining under 30, where increase was imperatively required both with regard to old and new members, while the payments to the District Funeral Fund were left unaltered at the absurdly low rate of 1s. a quarter.

(*e*) As between the Sick Fund and the Funeral Fund the benefits given in the Society are such that the funeral claims are equal to about one-third the sick claims, without stating, therefore, which I have not been asked to do, what the contributions ought, in my opinion, to be, I may point out that such contributions should be *divided* between those two funds in the following proportions :—

SICK AND FUNERAL CONTRIBUTIONS DULY DIVIDED.

If the monthly contribution to the Sick and Funeral Fund *is*—	The monthly contribution to the Sick Fund *should be*—	Funeral Fund *should be*—
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
2 0	1 6	0 6
3 0	2 3	0 9
3 6	2 7½	0 10½
4 0	3 4½	1 1½

(*f*) The Society should adopt a properly graduated scale of adequate contributions, consisting of differing payments for, say, eight groups of ages, four under and four over the entry age of 30, and existing members, especially those who entered under 30, should be required to contribute in future in accordance therewith.

17. To enable members readily to see which Courts have been a source of strength to the Society, which a source of weakness, and why, I have given a list of the Courts arranged in order according to certain elements which affect the position of a Branch in a valuation. (See Table of Relative Position of Courts.) The Courts are given therein in the order of—(1) Average rate of interest realized during the five years, 1882–86; (2) Average valuation ages of members; (3) Rate of actual sickness relatively to expected rate according to Ratcliffe's Experience of the M.U. in England during 1866–70; (4) Capital per member; and (5) (6) (7) Ratio to liabilities per £ of value of contributions, capital, and assets.

18. The progress of the several funds of the Society during the quinquennium is shown in the subjoined Table :—

QUINQUENNIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT, 1882–86.

	Sick Funds.	Funeral Funds.	Sick and Funeral Funds.	Medical and Management Funds.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Funds, 1st Jan., 1882 ...	6,581 9 1	217 1 8	6,798 10 9	186 4 8	6,984 15 5
Income, 1882–86.					
Contributions	2,670 15 11	512 6 3½	3,183 2 2½	3,481 14 9	6,664 16 11½
Levies	...	...	...	342 9 4	342 9 4
Entrance fees	75 9 0	...	75 9 0	70 6 0	145 15 0
Interest	1,519 9 6	59 13 7	1,579 3 1	11 18 0	1,591 1 1
Sundries	30 6 10	4 9 11½	34 16 9½	427 14 11½	462 11 9
Total	4,296 1 3	576 9 10	4,872 11 1	4,334 3 0½	9,206 14 1½
Expenditure, 1882–86.					
Sick pay	2,521 11 11	...	2,521 11 11	..	2,521 11 11
Funeral donations ...	...	370 0 0	370 0 0	...	370 0 0
Medical attendance and medicine	...	...	...	2,724 7 5	2,724 7 5
Management	...	...	...	1,197 8 8½	1,197 8 8½
Sundries	355 11 4½	0 9 6	356 0 10½	264 7 1½	620 8 0
Total	2,877 3 3½	370 9 6	3,247 12 9½	4,186 3 3	7,433 16 0½
Increase, 1882–86 ...	1,418 17 11½	206 0 4	1,624 18 3½	147 19 9½	1,772 18 1
Funds, 31st Dec., 1886 ...	8,000 7 0½	423 2 0	8,423 9 0½	334 4 5½	8,757 13 6

19. The expenses of management during the quinquennium have been equal to 14·4 per cent. of the total income, omitting sundries, and to 16·7 per cent. of the income from contributions; sick pay, to 35·3 per cent.; funeral donations, to 5·2 per cent.; and medical attendance and medicine, to 39 per cent.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1888.

THE SECOND VALUATION OF THE GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS.

Letter from the Government Statist to the Grand Secretary, forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1888.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Report of the Actuary to this Office on the condition of the Grand United Order of Free Gardeners' Friendly Society, together with an abstract of the results of his valuation as at the 31st December, 1886, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. I am gratified to perceive that, in comparison with the position of the society in 1881, there is an improvement in the Sick and Funeral Funds, but I have to express my regret that a greater increase was not made in the contributions of existing members in 1885, and that, in respect to future members, an adequate graduated scale of payments was not adopted.

3. The Actuary points out what steps should be taken to still further improve the Society's finances; I would suggest that his recommendations should receive immediate attention at the hands of the governing body.

I have, &c.,

H. H. HAYTER,
Government Statist.

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SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS OF THE VALUATION.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of Benefits.	Annual contributions applicable to Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Value of Contributions.		Value of Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Net Liability.
		Total.	Average per Member.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	
		£	s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
Sick allowances payable until the 70th year—								
During first six months' sickness, at 20s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	14,536		
During second six months' sickness, at 13s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	1,845		
After second six months' sickness, at 7s. 6d. per week	646	..	..	..	..	2,714	21,321	
Permanent allowances after the 70th year of £7 4s. per annum, taken as equivalent to future sick claims	..	..	..	..	..	5,582		
Sums payable at death of members, at £20 ..	..	..	..	..	..	5,598	5,832	
" " " wives, at £10 ..	430	..	..	..	..	1,208		
Total	1,076	993·27	30 9	16,791	14,712	31,483	27,153	12,441

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the G.U.O.F.G.,

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	Number of Members.	Number of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age.		Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions.		Experience during Quinquennium greater (+) or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of M.U., England, 1866–70.			Rate of Interest.	
							Beginning of Quinquennium.	End of Quinquennium.		Average Age.	Average Duration of Membership.	Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in the valuation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
1	Victorian	Melbourne ...	1864	28	18	30 4	39½	46¼	14¼	31¾	6¼	− 37	− 22	+ 450	6½	5
2	Ivy	Bacchus Marsh ...	1866	10	7	30 4	38¾	44	13¾	33¼	7¾	...	− 62	+ 538	2	3
3	Carlton	Carlton	1869	33	18	30 4	34¾	35½	8¾	29½	4	− 3	+ 185	+ 123	5¼	4½
4	Olive Branch ...	South Yarra ...	1869	53	34	30 4	35½	37	9	28¼	3¼	+ 52	− 20	+ 150	4	3½
5	Fitzroy	Fitzroy	1869	60	38	30 4	35	38¼	7¼	29¼	3	− 5	− 30	+ 233	3½	3
6	Southern Cross ...	Prahran ...	1872	63	34	30 4	37½	36¼	6¾	32¾	5½	+ 42	− 43	+ 133	4½	4
7	Hotham	North Melbourne	1875	69	45	32 6	36	38	6	30	2¼	+ 25	− 50	+ 440	4¼	3½
8	Emerald	South Melbourne	1875	52	38	30 4	34¼	37½	6½	31¼	3¼	+ 32	− 8	+ 340	4¼	4
9	City of Collingwood...	Collingwood ...	1876	28	21	30 4	36	38¾	6¾	34¼	4¾	+ 35	− 21	+ 486	3	3
10	Star of Richmond ...	Richmond ...	1876	35	22	30 4	34	35½	4¾	29	2¼	+ 33	+ 52	+ 492	3	3
11	Bendigo	Sandhurst ...	1876	10	9	30 4	37¼	45	8	36¼	5	− 49	− 16	+ 957	0	3
12	Royal Charter ...	North Port Melbourne	1877	84	59	30 4	31¾	32½	3¾	28	2¾	− 6	+ 10	+ 160	2¾	3
13	Prince of Wales ...	Williamstown ...	1879	36	24	30 4	32¾	36¾	5½	30¾	3¼	+ 1	− 19	+ 356	1¼	3
14	Ballarat	Ballarat ...	1881	54	41	32 6	...	36¼	4¾	31	3¼	− 39	− 43	+ 279	½	3
15	Belgravia	Footscray ...	1885	14	8	30 4	...	31¼	1½	28	½	...	...	+ 1393	0	3
16	Argyle	St. Kilda ...	1885	17	14	30 4	...	31½	1½	28½	¾	...	...	+ 716	0	3
	The Whole Society			646	430	30 9	35¼	36¾	6½	30¾	3¼	− 2	− 27	+ 341	3	...
	QUINQUENNIAL COMPARISON:—															
	Valuation of 31st December, 1881...			583	394	26 0	...	35¼	4¾	30¾	2½	− 21	− 32	+ 387	3	...
	Valuation of 31st December, 1886...			646	430	30 9	...	36¾	6½	30¾	3¼	− 2	− 27	+ 341	3	...
	(a) Increase ...			63	36	4 9	...	1½	1¾	...	¾	19	5	...	...	...
	(b) Decrease ...			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...	...

as at the 31st December, 1886.

VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	27,153	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	5,154
		Capital to the credit of the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund	277
		Value of members' contributions	14,712
		Deficiency	7,010
	£27,153		£27,153

as at the 31st December, 1886.

Liabilities.			Assets.					Surplus.	Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Surplus (+), Deficiency (−), per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the :—			No.
Value of Benefits.	Value of Funeral Dues payable to Grand Lodge.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Value of sums at Death payable by Grand Lodge.	Proportionate Claim to Funeral Fund of Grand Lodge.	Capital.	Total.					Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
1,287	253	1,540	509	280	12	1,470	2,271	731	...	52 10	+26 2	8 1	23 6	31 7	1
594	90	684	235	133	4	236	608	...	76	23 12	− 7 12	8 6	8 9	17 3	2
1,355	298	1,653	715	253	14	460	1,442	...	211	13 19	− 6 8	10 3	6 9	17 0	3
2,144	478	2,622	1,136	497	23	517	2,173	...	449	9 15	− 8 9	10 9	5 1	15 10	4
2,700	542	3,242	1,381	573	26	354	2,334	...	908	5 18	−15 3	10 4	2 10	13 2	5
2,230	569	2,799	1,279	505	27	431	2,242	...	557	6 17	− 8 17	11 2	4 0	15 2	6
2,806	623	3,429	1,596	597	30	345	2,568	...	861	5 0	−12 10	11 3	2 8	13 11	7
1,897	470	2,367	1,056	408	22	370	1,856	...	511	7 2	− 9 17	10 10	4 0	14 10	8
1,525	253	1,778	733	336	12	142	1,223	...	555	5 1	−19 16	10 2	2 2	12 4	9
1,584	316	1,900	807	305	15	143	1,270	...	630	4 2	−18 0	10 1	2 0	12 1	10
604	90	694	234	137	4	52	427	...	267	5 4	−26 14	8 5	2 0	10 5	11
3,094	758	3,852	1,943	657	36	252	2,888	...	964	3 0	−11 10	12 2	1 10	14 0	12
1,549	325	1,874	832	331	16	138	1,317	...	557	3 17	−15 9	10 10	2 0	12 10	13
2,294	488	2,782	1,345	497	23	151	2,016	...	766	2 16	−14 4	11 10	1 6	13 4	14
665	126	791	413	140	6	56	615	...	176	4 0	−12 11	12 8	1 11	14 7	15
825	153	978	498	183	7	37	725	...	253	2 3	−14 18	12 7	1 0	13 7	16
								[731	7,741]						
27,153	5,832	32,985	14,712	5,832	277	5,154	25,975	...	7,010	8 8	−10 17	10 10	4 0	14 10	
24,569	...	24,569	11,573	...	...	3,130	14,703	...	9,866	5 7	−16 18	9 5	2 7	12 0	1881
27,153	...	27,153	14,712	...	277	5,154	20,143	...	7,010	8 8	−10 17	10 10	4 0	14 10	1886
2,584	...	2,584	3,139	...	277	2,024	5,440	...	...	3 1	...	1 5	1 5	2 10	(*a*)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,856	...	6 1	...	...	...	(*b*)

TABLE showing the Relative Position of the Lodges of the G.U.O.F.G. as at the 31st December, and Ratio of Contributions, Capital,

Relative Position.	Lodge.	1 Rate of Interest per Annum Realised.	Lodge.	2 Average Age.	Lodge.	3 Sickness—Actual Rate —the Expected Rate being taken as 100.	Lodge.
		%		Yrs.		Wks.	
1	Victorian	6½	Belgravia	31¼	Belgravia	...	Victorian ... ...
2	Carlton	5¼	Argyle	31½	Argyle	...	Ivy ... ...
3	Southern Cross ...	4½	Royal Charter ...	32½	Ivy	38	Carlton ... ...
4	Hotham	4¼	Carlton	35½	Hotham	50	Olive Branch ... ...
5	Emerald	4¼	Star of Richmond ...	35½	Southern Cross ...	57	Emerald ... ...
6	Olive Branch	4	Southern Cross ...	36¼	Ballarat	57	Southern Cross ...
7	Fitzroy	3½	Ballarat	36¼	Fitzroy	70	Fitzroy ... ...
8	City of Collingwood ...	3	Prince of Wales ...	36¾	Victorian	78	Bendigo .. ...
9	Star of Richmond ...	3	Olive Branch ...	37	City of Collingwood ...	79	City of Collingwood ...
10	Royal Charter ...	2¾	Emerald	37½	Olive Branch	80	Hotham ... ...
11	Ivy	2	Hotham	38	Prince of Wales ...	81	Star of Richmond ...
12	Prince of Wales ...	1¼	Fitzroy	38¼	Bendigo	84	Belgravia ... ...
13	Ballarat	½	City of Collingwood ...	38¾	Emerald	92	Prince of Wales ...
14	Bendigo	...	Ivy	44	Royal Charter ...	110	Royal Charter ...
15	Belgravia	...	Bendigo	45	Star of Richmond ...	152	Ballarat ... ...
16	Argyle	...	Victorian	46¼	Carlton	285	Argyle ... ...

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. I have taken Ratcliffe's Experience of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows in England, 1866–70, as the basis of the Valuation Tables employed.

2. The results obtained, in the first instance, from the Valuation Tables have been modified so as to approximate as closely as was considered expedient to the quantities which would have been brought out had such tables been originally based on the quinquennial experience of the members of the Branches.

3. The value of the liabilities, on account of the probable sickness after 70 years of age, has been thus estimated:—The sum equivalent at the date of the valuation to an allowance of £7 4s. per annum for life when 70 years of age has been set down to the account of each member in lieu of the pay then claimable in case of sickness.

4. The values of the prospective income and outgo, on account of members owing more than 14s., have been excluded from the valuation.

5. The deficiency shown I believe to be due to the inadequacy of the weekly contribution of 6d. a member to provide the sick and funeral benefits during the past operations of the Society, together with sufficient surplus for investment; to the consequent small amount of capital possessed thereby; and, with respect to the future, to the insufficiency of the weekly contribution of 7d. a member payable since March, 1885, to meet the prospective liabilities. I may point out that, had the weekly contribution been 10½d. per member (or its equivalent according to a graduated scale) instead of 7d., the assets at the end of 1886 would have equalled the liabilities, and there would have been no deficiency.

6. In order to improve the financial condition of the funds, I recommend the Society to increase still further the contributions of existing members generally, or, as a more equitable plan, to require every member to contribute in future such a sum per week as will be commensurate with the liability he imposed upon the funds at the age when he entered the Society; and, in order that there may be no loss in connexion with future members, I recommend the Society to adopt, in respect to them, an adequate scale of contributions, graduated according to entry age, payable both to the Funeral Fund and to the Sick Fund.

Extracts from the Report of the Actuary on each Lodge.

No. 1.—Victorian.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the magnitude of the capital relatively to the number of members remaining in the Lodge and to the consequent reduced liabilities. The funds were regularly and profitably invested during the quinquennium, but not apparently with the closeness attainable; a steady advance in the capital is observable, accompanied, however, by a falling away in the membership.

No. 2.—Ivy.—The unproductive investment during the quinquennium of 48 per cent. of the capital in a Hall has adversely affected the financial progress of the Lodge.

No. 3.—Carlton.—As the capital during the quinquennium increased, the amount of interest received subsequently to 1883 decreased, 30 per cent. of the funds having been kept uninvested.

No. 5.—Fitzroy.—The funds appear to have been very closely invested during the quinquennium, but the annual proceeds therefrom have been unsatisfactory and the rate irregular; steady progress has been made both financially and numerically.

No. 7.—Hotham.—In 1885, an overdue proportion of interest was appropriated to the Medical and Management Fund.

No. 8.—Emerald.—The invested funds in 1882–83 were insufficiently productive.

No. 9.—City of Collingwood.—No portion of the Medical and Management Fund was invested in 1885–86, nevertheless £2 2s. interest was appropriated thereto.

No. 10.—Star of Richmond.—Interest should be credited every year, and not irregularly as has been done in this Lodge.

No. 11.—Bendigo.—The business of this Lodge appears to have been badly managed during the quinquennium; sums, beginning with £4 12s. in 1882, increasing annually to £45 8s. in 1886, belonging to the Sick and Funeral Fund, have been illegally used by the Medical and Management Fund; in 1884–85, 39 members seceded out of a total of 55.

1886, in respect of Rate of Interest, Average Age, Sickness Experience, Capital per Member, and Assets to Liabilities in the £.

4 Capital per Member.	Lodge.	5 Ratio of Value of Contributions to Liabilities per £.	Lodge.	6 Ratio of Capital to Liabilities per £.	Lodge.	7 Ratio of Assets to Liabilities per £.	Relative Position.
£ s.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
52 10	Belgravia	12 8	Victorian	23 6	Victorian	31 7	1
23 12	Argyle	12 7	Ivy	8 9	Ivy	17 3	2
13 19	Royal Charter	12 2	Carlton	6 9	Carlton	17 0	3
9 15	Ballarat	11 10	Olive Branch	5 1	Olive Branch	15 10	4
7 2	Hotham	11 3	Southern Cross	4 0	Southern Cross	15 2	5
6 17	Southern Cross	11 2	Emerald	4 0	Emerald	14 10	6
5 18	Emerald	10 10	Fitzroy	2 10	Belgravia	14 7	7
5 4	Prince of Wales	10 10	Hotham	2 8	Royal Charter	14 0	8
5 1	Olive Branch	10 9	City of Collingwood ...	2 2	Hotham	13 11	9
5 0	Fitzroy	10 4	Star of Richmond ...	2 0	Argyle	13 7	10
4 2	Carlton	10 3	Bendigo	2 0	Ballarat	13 4	11
4 0	City of Collingwood ...	10 2	Prince of Wales	2 0	Fitzroy	13 2	12
3 17	Star of Richmond ...	10 1	Belgravia	1 11	Prince of Wales	12 10	13
3 0	Ivy	8 6	Royal Charter	1 10	City of Collingwood ...	12 4	14
2 16	Bendigo	8 5	Ballarat	1 6	Star of Richmond ...	12 1	15
2 3	Victorian	8 1	Argyle	1 0	Bendigo	10 5	16

No. 12.—Royal Charter.—In 1883–84, the receipt and repayment of an overdraft of £20 were improperly credited and debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund; due attention does not appear to have been paid during the quinquennium to the investment business of the Lodge. With the valuation of this Lodge is included that of the Unity Lodge which amalgamated with it early in 1887.

No. 13.—Prince of Wales.—The interest earned on the sum invested was not credited in 1886.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1888.

ADDENDUM BY THE ACTUARY TO HIS REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS, AS AT THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1886.

This being the second occasion upon which a valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Society has been effected, an opportunity is given of ascertaining not only its financial position at the end of 1886, but also the progress, if any, it has made during the five years that have elapsed since the preceding investigation.

2. The benefits afforded to members are the same as they were in 1881:—Medical attendance to a member, his wife, children and step-children under 18; sick pay at the rate of 20s., 13s., and 7s. 6d. per week for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd six months' and subsequent sickness; funeral donations, £20 on the death of member, £10 on death of wife.

3. By Amendments of Laws registered in March, 1885, it was provided that out of the uniform contribution of 1s. a week payable by each member not less than 7d. should be appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund, instead of 6d. as was the case previously. The contributions payable to the several funds in the valuations of 1881 and 1886, and the manner in which they were divided between the funds, were therefore as follow:—

CONTRIBUTIONS IN 1881 AND 1886.

Age at Entry.	Entrance Fees.	Annual Contributions.				
	Medical and Management Fund.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.		Sick and Funeral Fund.	
	1881 and 1886.	1881 and 1886.	1881.	1886.	1881.	1886.
	£ s.	s.	s.	s. d.	s.	s. d.
18–20	0 15					
20–25	1 0					
25–30	1 5	52	26	21 8	26	30 4
30–35	1 10	with levies, when found necessary.				
35–38	2 0					
38–40	3 0					

4. The expenditure incurred for funeral donations is discharged by the Grand Lodge, the funds therefor being obtained from the Lodges on the equal-assessment plan, levies being made thereon according to the number of members therein, quite irrespective of age. When the previous valuation was made, the expenditure for sick pay was defrayed in a similar manner, the Lodges being at that time united together in a Sick and Funeral Union; but in March, 1885, Law 27, which provided for spreading the money expended for sick pay over the entire membership, was repealed. This valuation differs, therefore, from that of 1881, in that the total liabilities on account of death claims only have been distributed among the Lodges in proportion to the number of members contained therein at the end of the quinquennium.

5. The results of the valuation of 1881 and 1886 are given in the subjoined Table :—

VALUATIONS OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the		
			Value of Sick Pay and Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ *s.*	£ *s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1881	583	26 0	24,569	11,573	3,130	14,703	9,866	5 7	16 18	9 5	2 7	12 0
1886	646	30 9	27,153	14,712	5,431	20,143	7,010	8 8	10 17	10 10	4 0	14 10
Increase ...	63	4 9	2,584	3,139	2,301	5,440	...	3 1	...	1 5	1 5	2 10
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,856	...	6 1	...	...	...

6. On comparing the position of the Society at the first and second valuations, it is seen that the membership has increased by 63, paying on the average 4s. 9d. more per member to the Sick and Funeral Fund. (The reason why the average contribution exceeds 30s. 4d. per member per annum, the rate generally paid, as shown in paragragh 3 above, is because 32s. 6d. a year, or 7½d. a week, is paid by the Hotham and Ballarat Lodges.) The value of sick pay and funeral donations has increased, it will be noticed, by nearly £2,600, due mainly to the increase of members and partly to their increased age; the contributions have increased in value by upwards of £3,000, the capital by over £2,000 and by £3 1s. per member, and the assets by upwards of £5,000; the deficiency has therefore decreased by nearly £2,900 and by £6 1s. per member. Relatively to the liabilities the value of the contributions has increased by 1s. 5d., the capital by 1s. 5d., and the total assets by 2s. 10d. in the £. The Society was, therefore, in a better financial position at the end of 1886 than it was at the end of 1881 by nearly £2,900, and its assets relatively to its liabilities by nearly 3s. in the £. It must not be lost sight of, however, that its deficiency is still formidable, being no less than 5s. 2d. in every £ of liabilities.

7. The manner in which the Grand Lodge obtains funds to meet funeral claims, by levies apportioned among the Lodges according to the number of members therein, without reference to their ages and the liabilities incidental thereto, is, in my opinion, inequitable and detrimental to the interests of the new Lodges. Under this system, newly established Lodges, consisting for the most part of young members, contribute too much, and long established Lodges, containing probably members of considerably greater age, contribute too little, injustice being thus inflicted on the weak for the benefit of the strong.

8. The following would be the position of each Lodge if the funeral claims were met by the Lodges themselves and not paid by the Grand Lodge on the equal-assessment system :—

THE LODGE VALUATIONS, 1886, SUPPOSING EACH LODGE DISCHARGED ITS OWN FUNERAL CLAIMS.

Lodge.	No. of Members.	Average Age.	Liabilities.			Assets.			Surplus (+). Deficiency (−).	Ratio per £ of Assets to Liabilities.
			Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.		
		yrs.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	*s. d.*
Victorian	28	46¼	1,007	280	1,287	509	1,482	1,991	+ 704	31 1
Ivy	10	44	461	133	594	235	240	475	− 119	16 0
Carlton...	33	35½	1,102	253	1,355	715	474	1,189	− 166	17 7
Olive Branch	53	37	1,647	497	2,144	1,136	540	1,676	− 468	15 8
Fitzroy...	60	38¼	2,127	573	2,700	1,381	380	1,761	− 939	13 0
Southern Cross ...	63	36¼	1,725	505	2,230	1,279	458	1,737	− 493	15 7
Hotham	69	38	2,209	597	2,806	1,596	375	1,971	− 835	14 0
Emerald	52	37½	1,489	408	1,897	1,056	392	1,448	− 449	15 3
City of Collingwood ...	28	38¾	1,189	336	1,525	733	154	887	− 638	11 8
Star of Richmond ...	35	35½	1,279	305	1,584	807	158	965	− 619	12 2
Bendigo	10	45	467	137	604	234	56	290	− 314	9 7
Royal Charter... ...	84	32½	2,437	657	3,094	1,943	288	2,231	− 863	14 5
Prince of Wales ...	36	36¾	1,218	331	1,549	832	154	986	− 563	12 9
Ballarat	54	36¼	1,797	497	2,294	1,345	174	1,519	− 775	13 3
Belgravia	14	31¼	525	140	665	413	62	475	− 190	14 3
Argyle	17	31½	642	183	825	498	44	542	− 283	13 2
The whole Society...	646	36¾	21,321	5,832	27,153	14,712	5,431	20,143	− 7,010	14 10

9. When the circumstances of two Lodges are similar, except in the average age of their members, it will be found that the position of a Lodge having the younger members is more favorable in the above table than it is in the Tabular Summary accompanying the Report, wherein the death claims are dealt with according to the rules of the Society, and that of one with older members less favorable. It is necessary, however, to observe that when the rate of interest assumed in the valuation is low, the funeral liabilities per member being above the average (see the Second Quinquennial Valuation of M.U.I.O.O.F., *Ninth Annual Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies*, 1886, Appendix A, p. 41, par. 20), the inequitable character of the equal funeral levy system will be, to a great extent, concealed, unless differences due to interest are taken into account.

10. In order to bring out more clearly the unfair character of the equal mortuary assessment system, assume that at, say, the end of 1886 the Society consisted of ten Lodges, with the same number of members, say, 50, or 60, or 70, in each, all 20 years of age in the first, 25 in the second, 30 in the third, and so on up to the tenth, who were

all 65 years of age; then, on the basis of the English M.U. mortality experience, the subjoined table shows what sum the members of the respective Lodges should contribute to discharge the £20 death claims during, say, 1887, on account of members only, and the sum overpaid and underpaid thereby when every member has to pay the same sum:—

Lodge.	All the members being at the end of 1886 of the age of—	Sum per member required to pay claims on account of death of members in the Lodge during 1887.	If 6s. 10$\frac{3}{5}$d., therefore, were paid by every member there would be—	
			Overpaid.	Underpaid.
	years.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
A	20	2 5	4 5$\frac{3}{5}$	...
B	25	2 10	4 0$\frac{3}{5}$	...
C	30	3 2	3 8$\frac{3}{5}$	...
D	35	3 9	3 1$\frac{3}{5}$	...
E	40	4 6	2 4$\frac{3}{5}$	...
F	45	5 5	1 5$\frac{3}{5}$	...
G	50	6 10	0 0$\frac{3}{5}$	...
H	55	9 1	...	2 2$\frac{2}{5}$
I	60	12 9	...	5 10$\frac{2}{5}$
J	65	18 1	...	11 2$\frac{2}{5}$
Total		68 10	19 3$\frac{1}{5}$	19 3$\frac{1}{5}$
Average		6 10$\frac{3}{5}$	...	...

11. If the Society were constituted in the artificial manner shown in this example, a state of things which will, of course, never arise in practice, every member would be required to pay under the Rules a levy of about 6s. 10d. towards defraying the claims falling in through the death of members during the year, or, rather, that sum would be paid to the Grand Lodge on his account (every member dying being supposed to be immediately replaced by one of the same age), with the result that members in Lodges A to F, being under 50 years of age, where the sum payable is nearly identical with the average, would have to pay more than they ought to pay, and members of Lodges H to J, being above 50, would pay very much less than they should pay. What is true of a number of Lodges so constituted is equally true of every Lodge containing members of different ages. From this illustration it is, therefore, I think, evident that when members of a Lodge pay the same funeral levy, irrespective of age, the older members pay too little, and the younger members pay too much.

12. This equal-levy plan of providing for funeral expenditure should be abandoned, and the proper proportion of each member's contribution forwarded to the Grand Lodge, out of which death claims would be paid as they arise, and the surplus invested by the Grand Lodge officers; the Grand Lodge having thus control of the Funeral Fund, and the Lodges of the Sick Funds, instead of both funds being under the control of the Lodges as is the case at present in this Society. It is, moreover, probable that the central body would be able to invest the funds to better advantage than many of the Lodges have succeeded in doing. I may state that the proportion of the total contributions applicable to sick and funeral purposes which should be assigned to the Funeral Fund, according to the scale of benefits given in the Society, is about one-fifth, or, more accurately, 22 per cent.

13. It may be well to point out, however, that similar injustice is committed when branches are required to make to the Funeral Fund of the central body a uniform payment per member, such as 1s., or 1s. 6d., or 2s. per quarter, a provision contained in the Rules of very many of the Victorian Friendly Societies. The right course to adopt is to have a scale of contributions to the Sick and Funeral Fund, graduated according to the increased liability imposed thereon with the increase in the age of members when initiated, whereof a fixed proportion is assigned every quarter, or so, to the District or Grand Lodge Funeral Fund.

14. While it is clear from the nature of the case that members' payments to the Sick and Funeral Fund should increase with their age of entry into the Society, it is equally clear that their contributions to the Medical and Management Fund should not so increase, as I pointed out to the members in my valuation of the Society in 1881 (see the *Sixth Report of the Government Statist on Friendly Societies*, 1883, Appendix A, xliii, par. 12). There is no justification whatever for requiring candidates of the age of 39 to pay four times as high an initiation fee as those admitted at the age of 19 to the Medical and Management Fund as is done in this Society (see paragraph 3 above). If it is considered necessary to have a scale of entrance fees graduated according to the entry age, the excess thereof (if any) above, say, 20s. or 15s., should be appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund, and the balance to the Medical and Management Fund.

15. The Order consisting of a number of distinct Lodges, the prosperity of the Society depends upon the prosperity or otherwise of the several units of which it is composed taken together, and it often happens that the effect of good management on the part of some lodges will be counterbalanced by that of bad management on the part of others. To enable members readily to see, therefore, which lodges have been a source of strength to the Society, which a source of weakness, and why, I have prepared a list of the lodges arranged in order according to certain elements which affect the position of a branch in a valuation (see Table of Relative Position of Lodges). The Lodges are entered therein in the order of —(1) Rates of interest realised during 1882–86; (2) Average valuation ages of members; (3) Rates of actual sickness relatively to expected rates according to Ratcliffe's Experience of the M.U., England, 1866–70; (4) Capital per member; (5) (6) (7) Ratio per £ of contributions, capital, and assets to liabilities.

16. As an illustration of the information supplied by the table referred to, it may be pointed out that the reason why "Victorian" stands at the head of the assets column No. 7, notwithstanding the advanced age of the members, is the magnitude of its capital relatively to its membership and liabilities, columns 4 and 6; for in respect to ratio to liabilities of the value of contributions, column 5, it stands below every lodge in the Society. "Argyle" on the other hand, which has the least relative capital, not having been long established, stands in the second place as to the ratio to liabilities of value of contributions, column 5, the liabilities being proportionally low, owing to the comparative youthfulness of the members, which prevents it from receding to a lower place than the 12th in the assets column, No. 7.

17. The progress of the several funds of the Society during the quinquennium is shown in the subjoined Table:—

QUINQUENNIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT, 1882–86.

	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Both Funds.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Funds, 1st Jan. 1882	3,303 3 1	242 14 4	3,545 17 5
Receipts, 1882–86.			
Contributions	5,158 15 10	4,834 11 4	9,993 7 2
Levies	29 9 6	881 11 5	911 0 11
Entrance fees	9 5 0	622 4 9	631 9 9
Interest	894 1 8	13 10 6	907 12 2
Sundries	63 14 9	1,121 4 0	1,184 18 9
Total	6,155 6 9	7,473 2 0	13,628 8 9
Expenditure, 1882–86.			
Sick pay	2,809 1 3	...	2,809 1 3
Funeral donations	1,070 0 0	...	1,070 0 0
Medical attendance	...	4,250 7 5	4,250 7 5
Management	...	2,298 16 2	2,298 16 2
Sundries	108 4 11	961 3 3	1,069 8 2
Total	3,987 6 2	7,510 6 10	11,497 13 0
Increase, 1882–86	2,168 0 7	– 37 4 10	2,130 15 9
Funds, 31st Dec., 1886 ...	5,471 3 8	205 9 6	5,676 13 2

18. These figures show that the expenses of management during the quinquennium were equal to $18\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the total income, omitting sundries, and to nearly 20 per cent. of the income from contributions; sick pay, to $24\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.; funeral donations, to $9\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.; and medical attendance and medicine, to $36\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1888.

THE SECOND VALUATION OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, UNITED MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

Letter from the Government Statist to the District Secretary, forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,

Melbourne, 31st January, 1889.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the Report of the Actuary to this Department on the condition of the Melbourne District A.O.F., together with an abstract of the results of his valuation as at the 31st December, 1886, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. There is, I perceive, some improvement in the position of the Sick Funds of the Courts, taken in the aggregate, at the present, compared with their position at the first quinquennial valuation, due mainly to the considerable accession during the interval of young members, but a slight retrogression in the condition of the District Funeral Fund.

3. The Actuary makes certain recommendations with the object of improving the position of the several funds, to which I would urge upon the governing body the propriety of giving immediate attention.

4. I must express my regret that this District has still to be classed among the Societies, whereof all the others, the H.A.C.B.S. excepted, are of minor numerical importance, which have hitherto taken no steps to re-adjust members' contributions and benefits upon a more equitable and safe basis.

I have, &c.,

H. H. HAYTER,

Government Statist.

E. Lawrence, Esq., D.S., A.O.F., U.M.D.,

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Summary of the Results of the Valuation.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of Benefits.	Annual Contributions applicable to Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Value of Contributions.		Value of Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Net Liability.
		Total.	Average per Member.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	
		£	*s. d.*	£	£	£	£	£
Sick allowances payable until the 70th year— During first six months' sickness, at 20s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	154,031		
During second six months' sickness, at 10s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	15,306		
After second six months' sickness, at 5s. per week	8,223	8,598·3	20 11	121,846	115,034	19,785	226,062	
Permanent allowances after the 70th year of £6 per annum, taken as equivalent to future sick claims	..	..	..	..	..	56,695		
Sums payable at death of members, at £20 ..	..	2,466·9	6 0	42,336	39,627	80,441	88,020	
„ „ „ wives, at £10 ..	5,049					15,756		
„ „ „ second wives, at £10	91	54·6	12 0	782	782	306	306	
„ „ „ wives over 40, at £10	6	1·5	5 0	19	19	21	21	
„ „ „ probable future registered wives at £10	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,100	
Total	13,369	11,121·3	27 0	164,983	155,462	342,341	315,509	160,047

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the Melbourne

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	Number of Members.	Number of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age.		Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions.		Experience during Quinquennium greater (+), or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of the M.U., England, 1866–70.			Rate of Interest.	
							Beginning of Quinquennium.	End of Quinquennium.		Average Age.	Average Duration of Membership.	Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in the Valuation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
1	Victoria	Carlton	1850	284	190	21 0	44¾	43¼	14¾	32¼	7¼	− 60	− 18	+ 75	5⅝	5
2	City of Lincoln ...	Carlton	1854	185	126	20 7	42¼	42⅝	14⅜	35½	9½	+ 30	− 42	+ 24	6¼	5
3	Perseverance ...	Collingwood ...	1857	308	189	20 8	41¼	41	13½	30	6½	− 5	− 38	+ 53	½	3
4	Good Intent ...	St. Kilda ...	1858	167	96	20 9	43½	37⅜	10½	27½	3¼	− 9	+ 8	+182	7⅜	5½
5	Industry	Collingwood ...	1858	131	98	20 10	42⅜	41½	13	29⅜	5¼	− 1	+ 10	+ 56	5¼	4½
6	Collingwood ...	Collingwood ...	1859	70	44	21 0	43⅜	42¼	14½	26⅜	5½	+ 51	+ 6	+ 76	2¼	3
7	Sherwood Forest ...	Fitzroy	1859	91	68	20 8	42⅜	42½	15⅜	37¼	10	+ 39	+ 30	+ 26	4½	4
8	Robin Hood ...	Richmond ...	1859	331	212	21 2	40⅜	36⅜	9¼	27¼	3½	− 26	− 28	+ 41	5½	5
9	Happy Home ...	Carlton	1859	69	34	20 7	40⅜	41¼	13½	30¼	6½	+114	− 1	+249	3⅜	3
10	Friendship	Carlton	1859	168	114	20 7	44	40¼	13½	28¾	5½	+ 24	− 3	+ 50	6¼	5
11	Benevolence ...	Prahran ...	1859	140	88	20 11	39½	38¾	10⅜	27⅜	4½	− 9	− 29	− 3	5⅜	5
12	Happiness	Preston	1859	79	54	21 0	43¾	44	14⅜	30	5⅝	− 40	+ 4	+100	½	3
13	Williamstown ...	Williamstown ...	1859	216	121	21 0	41¼	37¼	10⅜	33	8¼	− 18	− 17	+ 23	5	4½
14	Friar Tuck	Fitzroy	1859	276	190	21 3	39¼	39	11¼	28¾	4⅜	+ 45	+ 9	+ 58	6¼	5
15	Richmond	Richmond ...	1860	192	112	20 11	42⅜	39¼	11⅜	32½	6½	+ 16	− 14	+ 66	5⅜	5
16	Prince of Wales ...	South Melbourne...	1860	332	204	21 1	40	37	10	29	4½	+ 31	+ 12	+ 37	6	5
17	Hotham	North Melbourne...	1860	141	102	21 2	42	44	14	36¼	10	− 6	− 26	+ 88	1	3
18	Fitzroy	Fitzroy	1860	109	64	20 10	42¼	36¼	10½	32⅜	5¼	− 1	− 31	+ 34	5	4½
19	Brunswick	Fitzroy	1860	130	87	21 2	41⅜	40½	12¼	38⅜	8⅜	− 65	− 31	+ 67	5⅜	5
20	Castlemaine ...	Castlemaine ...	1860	74	52	20 9	48	49	18¼	50⅜	18	=	+ 6	+179	6¼	5
21	Havelock	Collingwood ...	1861	36	23	20 4	43¼	44½	15¼	32¼	4⅜	+101	− 44	+257	5	4½
22	Star of the Forest ...	Richmond ...	1861	157	109	20 10	40½	38¾	10¼	35¼	7½	− 24	− 9	+ 24	5½	5
23	Pride of Richmond ...	Richmond ...	1861	62	42	20 8	46¼	42	12½	23½	1¼	+ 64	− 49	+ 85	3¾	3
24	Yarraberg	Richmond ...	1861	39	23	21 3	41¼	38⅜	11	34½	7	+199	+ 50	+ 94	5½	4½
25	Tarrengower ...	Maldon	1861	151	104	20 7	48⅜	41½	12½	31	6	− 45	+ 22	+ 29	5⅜	5
26	St. George	Williamstown ...	1861	132	78	20 7	40¼	38¼	11½	27½	3⅜	+ 25	+ 3	− 25	6½	5½
27	Rising Sun	Footscray ...	1861	187	104	20 7	40	35	8½	28⅜	4½	− 56	− 43	− 6	5¾	5
28	Southern Cross ...	Richmond ...	1861	77	61	21 11	45½	44¾	13½	26⅜	2⅜	− 26	− 34	+ 68	5¼	5
29	Pride of St. George ...	South Brighton ...	1861	127	84	20 4	38⅜	36	10	28¼	4⅜	− 52	− 1	+ 31	4	3½
30	Reform	Melbourne ...	1861	162	126	21 0	41	41½	12⅜	33½	6¼	− 23	− 8	+116	5⅜	5
31	Goodwill	Oakleigh ...	1861	58	33	20 10	39½	37	9¾	27¼	3	+ 94	− 32	+138	4¾	4
32	Marion	South Yarra ..	1861	183	102	21 0	37¼	36	8¼	29	4¼	− 14	− 36	+ 61	5	4½

District, as at the 31st December, 1886.

WHOLE SOCIETY.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	314,409	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	69,476
Value of sums payable at death of probable future registered wives	1,100	Value of members' contributions	155,462
		Deficiency	90,571
	£315,509		£315,509

TOTAL OF COURT SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members	226,06	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	68,606
		Value of members' contributions	115,034
		Deficiency	42,422
	£226,06		£226,062

DISTRICT FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	88,347	Capital, as per secretary's return	870
Value of sums payable at death of probable future registered wives	1,100	Value of members' contributions	40,428
		Deficiency	48,149
	£89,447		£89,447

District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Liabilities.			Assets.							Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—			No.
Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums Payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Surplus (+), Deficiency (−), per Member.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
8,336	...	...	3,684	4,197	7,881	...	455	14 16	− 1 12	8 10	10 1	18 11	1
5,140	...	...	2,285	3,496	5,781	641	...	18 18	+ 3 9	8 11	13 7	22 6	2
11,374	...	...	5,128	4,265	9,393	...	1,981	13 17	− 6 9	9 0	7 6	16 6	3
3,710	...	...	1,976	784	2,760	...	950	4 14	− 5 14	10 8	4 3	14 11	4
3,991	...	...	1,784	1,288	3,072	...	919	9 17	− 7 0	8 11	6 6	15 5	5
2,560	...	...	1,083	138	1,221	...	1,339	1 19	−19 3	8 6	1 1	9 7	6
3,053	...	...	1,260	174	1,434	...	1,619	1 18	−17 16	8 3	1 2	9 5	7
8,000	...	...	4,584	3,276	7,860	...	140	9 18	− 0 8	11 6	8 2	19 8	8
2,408	...	...	1,042	91	1,133	...	1,275	1 6	−18 10	8 8	0 9	9 5	9
4,447	...	...	2,003	1,546	3,549	...	898	9 4	− 5 7	9 0	6 11	15 11	10
3,611	...	...	1,869	1,605	3,474	...	137	11 9	− 1 0	10 4	8 11	19 3	11
3,212	...	...	1,273	672	1,945	...	1,267	8 10	−16 1	8 0	4 1	12 1	12
5,733	...	...	3,126	1,174	4,300	...	1,433	5 9	− 6 13	10 11	4 1	15 0	13
6,512	...	...	3,435	1,889	5,324	...	1,188	6 17	− 4 6	10 6	5 10	16 4	14
4,766	...	...	2,386	2,151	4,537	...	229	11 4	− 1 4	10 0	9 0	19 0	15
8,103	...	...	4,230	2,318	6,548	...	1,555	7 0	− 4 14	10 5	5 9	16 2	16
5,357	...	...	2,204	271	2,475	...	2,882	1 18	−20 9	8 3	1 0	9 3	17
2,714	...	...	1,489	721	2,210	...	504	6 12	− 4 12	11 0	5 4	16 4	18
3,612	...	...	1,775	2,153	3,928	316	...	16 11	+ 2 9	9 10	12 0	21 10	19
2,436	...	...	841	269	1,110	...	1,326	3 13	−17 18	6 11	2 2	9 1	20
1,093	...	...	443	597	1,040	...	53	16 11	− 1 9	8 1	10 11	19 0	21
4 162	...	...	2,109	1,060	3,169	...	993	6 15	− 6 6	10 2	5 1	15 3	22
2,271	...	...	978	196	1,174	...	1,097	3 3	−17 14	8 7	1 9	10 4	23
989	...	...	512	785	1,297	308	...	20 3	+ 7 18	10 4	15 11	26 3	24
4,621	...	...	1,966	266	2,232	...	2,389	1 15	−15 16	8 6	1 2	9 8	25
3,107	...	...	1,610	2,212	3,822	715	...	16 15	+ 5 8	10 4	14 3	24 7	26
4,561	...	...	2,678	1,849	4,527	...	34	9 18	− 0 4	11 9	8 1	19 10	27
2,120	...	...	986	728	1,714	...	406	9 9	− 5 5	9 4	6 10	16 2	28
4,295	...	...	2,145	845	2,990	...	1,305	6 13	−10 6	10 0	3 11	13 11	29
4,611	...	...	2,124	1,902	4,026	...	585	11 14	− 3 12	9 3	8 3	17 6	30
1,499	...	...	828	952	1,780	281	...	16 8	+ 4 17	11 1	12 8	23 9	31
4,427	...	...	2,579	1,804	4,383	...	44	9 17	− 0 5	11 8	8 2	19 10	32

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the Melbourne

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	Number of Members.	Number of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age.		Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions.		Experience during Quinquennium greater (+), or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of the M.U., England, 1866–70.			Rate of Interest.	
							Beginning of Quinquennium.	End of Quinquennium.		Average Age.	Average Duration of Membership.	Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in the Valuation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
33	Clarendon	South Melbourne...	1861	400	251	21 0	36½	35¾	8¾	30½	5¾	− 33	− 7	+ 51	5¾	5
34	King of the Forest ...	South Melbourne...	1861	226	126	20 6	38	33¾	8	28¾	5¾	+ 50	+ 7	+179	4¾	4
35	Kew	Kew	1861	98	62	20 10	39¾	38¾	10¾	31	5¾	− 32	− 47	− 6	6¼	5
36	Abbotsford	Collingwood ...	1861	30	17	20 11	47	47¼	17¾	35¾	7½	+159	+ 6	+191	0	3
37	Forest Home ...	Rushworth ...	1862	52	28	20 8	37½	35½	10	26¼	4	+ 45	+ 2	+100	5	4½
38	Rob Roy	Fitzroy	1862	89	64	20 10	39	38¾	11	29	3½	+ 36	− 3	+330	4¼	3½
39	Sandridge	Port Melbourne ...	1862	193	107	21 2	40¼	38¼	10½	31	4½	− 30	− 15	+ 83	6	5
40	Royal Artillery ...	Carlton	1862	109	62	21 1	42	39	11¼	30¾	5¼	+ 15	− 19	+ 78	5¼	4½
41	Ubique	Melbourne ...	1862	123	73	21 0	38	36	9¾	30¼	4¾	+ 21	− 25	+ 21	6¼	5
42	Forest Creek ...	Castlemaine ...	1862	73	48	21 8	43	44¼	14¾	43½	15	+ 11	+ 30	− 15	7	5½
43	Chevy Chase ...	Daylesford ...	1862	139	105	21 4	44½	45¾	16	34½	8¾	− 25	+ 19	+ 66	7¾	5½
44	Hawthorn	Hawthorn ...	1862	15	9	20 5	39¾	44¾	15½	37½	8½	+ 41	+ 3	+490	5½	5
45	Little John	Collingwood ...	1862	134	82	20 6	31¾	32	7¾	27¾	4½	− 56	+ 19	+ 71	6	5
46	Camberwell ...	Camberwell ...	1862	50	39	21 11	42½	45½	14¾	27¼	2½	− 50	− 39	+ 3	2¼	3
47	Little John	Kyneton ...	1862	137	80	20 8	38¼	36	8¾	28¼	3¼	− 56	− 47	+ 91	6	5
48	Gisborne	Gisborne ...	1862	58	36	20 10	34½	35	9	30	5½	...	− 58	+ 71	4¼	4
49	Campbell's Creek ...	Campbell's Creek...	1862	33	21	21 3	48½	54¼	20½	36¼	13¼	− 24	+ 33	+ 55	6¼	5
50	Dandenong	Dandenong ...	1862	63	32	21 11	41¼	38	8¾	29¼	2¾	...	− 29	+248	6¼	5
51	Star of Brunswick ...	Brunswick ...	1863	147	75	20 7	40	36¼	10	27½	3¼	− 12	− 9	+ 43	8½	5½
52	Inglewood	Inglewood ...	1863	15	13	20 3	42	48¾	8¾	31½	6½	...	− 41	+325	8	5½
53	Otterburn	Daylesford ...	1864	75	50	20 11	41¼	37	10½	29¾	3¼	− 5	+ 54	+ 58	3½	3
54	Fryers	Fryerstown ...	1864	42	29	21 6	44½	45¼	15	38	8½	− 72	− 49	+164	4	3½
55	Violet Grove ...	Whroo	1864	20	10	20 6	34½	33¾	10¼	21	2	+271	+ 12	+ 70	3	3
56	Ivanhoe	Heathcote ...	1864	35	23	20 7	32¼	36	10	28	5¼	− 18	− 51	+122	4¾	4
57	Guildford	Guildford ...	1864	19	12	23 3	48¾	51¾	18¾	52¾	17	+ 1	+128	+265	3	3
58	Star of Mornington ...	Mornington ...	1864	67	35	20 7	39¼	34¼	7¾	29¾	3½	+ 58	− 47	+ 43	4¾	4
59	Unity	Raspberry Creek...	1865	16	8	22 8	45¾	39½	12	33¾	7¾	− 16	+191	+183	4¼	3½
60	Cheltenham ...	Cheltenham ...	1865	72	38	21 3	36½	34½	8	26¼	3¼	+ 98	+ 50	+ 7	4½	4
61	Alexandra	North Melbourne...	1865	106	52	20 4	34¼	31	6¼	26¾	3½	− 7	− 25	+ 82	4¾	4
62	Garibaldi	Derrimut ...	1866	17	9	20 5	37¾	41¾	15	23¼	2	+173	+ 26	+ 71	4¾	4
63	Star of Brighton ...	Brighton ...	1866	103	68	20 1	35	31¾	6	28	3¾	− 11	− 61	+ 88	6¼	5
64	Walhalla	Walhalla ...	1866	49	31	21 3	40¾	33½	7	29	4¾	− 14	− 19	+186	4½	3½
65	Vaughan	Vaughan ...	1866	10	9	23 11	42½	48½	17	34	9½	+123	+ 40	+150	4¾	4
66	Pride of Northcote ...	Northcote ...	1867	61	43	20 11	35	34	8¼	27	3¼	...	− 37	+105	5½	4½
67	Ballan	Ballan	1867	8	8	24 1	42¼	48½	16¾	33	15	...	+ 96	+ 98	2¼	3
68	Broadmeadows ...	Broadmeadows ...	1870	36	20	21 4	37¼	35¾	9½	33¼	7	+ 8	− 42	− 26	4½	4
69	Thorncombe ...	Norwood ...	1870	35	16	20 5	33¾	33½	8	28	3¾	− 39	+ 27	+ 60	4½	4
70	Forest of Dean ...	Port Melbourne ...	1874	67	42	21 1	31¼	30	4¼	27½	2½	+ 11	− 19	+329	5	4
71	St. Hubert	Sale	1875	59	38	21 1	29	30½	3¾	27¼	3¼	− 60	+ 61	+231	4	3½
72	Queenscliff	Queenscliff ...	1865	57	36	22 0	39	37¼	11½	25	4¼	+ 15	+ 17	+ 75	5¼	4½
73	Longford	Longford ...	1881	14	9	21 5	27¾	34¼	4¼	26¾	2¼	+115	− 41	+279	1¼	3
74	Albert	South Melbourne...	1883	119	51	20 0	...	26	2	23¼	¾	− 53	− 51	+339	1¼	3
75	Bairnsdale	Bairnsdale ...	1883	65	31	20 11	...	26½	1½	26	1¼	− 17	− 65	+324	0	3
76	Fern Tree Gully ...	Scoresby ...	1883	23	14	21 0	...	29	1¼	25¾	¼	...	+ 5	+420	0	3
	Total Sick Funds ...	...	...	8,223	5,146	20 11	40¾	38¼	11	30	5	− 3	− 10	+ 82	5	...
	District Funeral Fund ...	...	...	8,223	5,146	6 1	40¾	38¼	11	30	5	− 3	− 10	+ 82	2½	3
	The whole Society ...	...	...	8,223	5,146	27 0	40¾	38¼	11	30	5	− 3	− 10	+ 82	4¾	...
	QUINQUENNIAL COMPARISON:—															
	Valuation of 31st December, 1881	...		6,273	4,624	27 2	...	40¾	11¼	34¼	6¾	+ 2	− 3	+107	5	...
	Valuation of 31st December, 1886	...		8,223	5,146	27 0	...	38¼	11	30	5	− 3	− 10	+ 82	4¾	...
	(a) Increase ...	...		1,950	522	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(b) Decrease ...	...		...	...	0 2	...	2½	¼	4¼	1¾	5	7	25	¼	...

District A.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886—*continued.*

Liabilities.			Assets.					Capital per Member.	Surplus (+), Deficiency (−), per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—			No.
Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums Payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.	Surplus.	Deficiency.			Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
9,859	...	...	5,571	2,950	8,521	...	1,338	7 8	− 3 7	11 4	6 0	17 4	33
5,224	...	...	3,033	274	3,307	...	1,917	1 4	− 8 10	11 8	1 0	12 8	34
2,492	...	...	1,361	1,085	2,446	...	46	11 1	− 0 9	10 11	8 9	19 8	35
1,280	...	...	447	78	525	...	755	2 12	−25 3	7 0	1 3	8 3	36
1,181	...	...	661	451	1,112	...	69	8 13	− 1 7	11 2	7 8	18 10	37
2,651	...	...	1,296	234	1,530	...	1,121	2 13	−12 12	9 10	1 9	11 7	38
4,884	...	...	2,644	934	3,578	...	1,306	4 17	− 6 15	10 10	3 10	14 8	39
2,798	...	...	1,454	546	2,000	...	798	5 0	− 7 6	10 5	3 11	14 4	40
2,741	...	...	1,647	2,095	3,742	1,001	...	17 1	+ 8 3	12 0	15 4	27 4	41
2,184	...	...	916	162	1,078	...	1,106	2 4	−15 3	8 5	1 6	9 11	42
4,263	...	...	1,686	828	2,514	...	1,749	5 19	−12 12	7 11	3 11	11 10	43
469	...	...	187	382	569	100	...	25 9	+ 6 13	8 0	16 3	24 3	44
3,188	...	...	1,881	1,048	2,929	...	259	7 16	− 1 19	11 10	6 7	18 5	45
2,046	...	...	811	334	1,145	...	901	6 14	−18 0	7 11	3 3	11 2	46
3,231	...	...	1,951	1,314	3,265	34	...	9 12	+ 0 5	12 1	8 2	20 3	47
1,397	...	...	875	404	1,279	...	118	6 19	− 2 1	12 6	5 10	18 4	48
1,247	...	...	357	41	398	...	849	1 5	−25 15	5 9	0 8	6 5	49
1,436	...	...	805	514	1,319	...	117	8 3	− 1 17	11 3	7 2	18 5	50
3,276	...	...	1,805	213	2,018	...	1,258	1 9	− 8 11	11 0	1 4	12 4	51
480	...	...	165	508	673	193	...	33 17	+12 17	6 11	21 2	28 1	52
3,074	...	...	1,367	218	1,585	...	1,489	2 18	−19 17	8 11	1 5	10 4	53
1,604	...	...	637	278	915	...	689	6 12	−16 8	7 11	3 6	11 5	54
718	...	...	377	117	494	...	224	5 17	−11 4	10 6	3 3	13 9	55
976	...	...	538	789	1,327	351	...	22 11	+10 1	11 0	16 2	27 2	56
864	...	...	286	28	314	...	550	1 9	−29 0	6 8	0 8	7 4	57
1,567	...	...	1,008	715	1,723	156	...	10 13	+ 2 7	12 11	9 1	22 0	58
574	...	...	273	145	418	...	156	9 1	− 9 15	9 6	5 1	14 7	59
1,937	...	...	1,045	348	1,393	...	544	4 17	− 7 11	10 10	3 7	14 5	60
2,178	...	...	1,494	376	1,870	...	308	3 11	− 2 18	13 8	3 6	17 2	61
577	...	...	250	253	503	...	74	14 18	− 4 7	8 8	8 9	17 5	62
1,801	...	...	1,493	654	2,147	346	...	6 7	+ 3 7	16 7	7 3	23 10	63
1,230	...	...	721	1,169	1,890	660	...	23 17	+13 9	11 9	19 0	30 9	64
380	...	...	151	258	409	29	...	25 16	+ 2 18	7 11	13 7	21 6	65
1,285	...	...	830	714	1,544	259	...	11 14	+ 4 5	12 11	11 1	24 0	66
349	...	...	137	172	309	...	40	21 10	− 5 0	7 10	9 11	17 9	67
1,042	...	...	598	521	1,119	77	...	14 9	+ 2 3	11 6	10 0	21 6	68
960	...	...	553	106	659	...	301	3 1	− 8 12	11 6	2 3	13 9	69
1,302	...	...	906	347	1,253	...	49	5 4	− 0 15	13 11	5 4	19 3	70
1,806	...	...	994	186	1,180	...	626	3 3	−10 12	11 0	2 1	13 1	71
1,517	...	...	793	763	1,556	39	...	13 8	+ 0 14	10 6	10 0	20 6	72
502	...	...	278	53	331	...	171	3 16	−12 4	11 1	2 1	13 2	73
3,795	...	...	2,470	218	2,688	...	1,107	1 17	− 9 6	13 0	1 2	14 2	74
2,099	...	...	1,387	94	1,481	...	618	1 9	− 9 10	13 3	0 11	14 2	75
767	...	...	480	15	495	...	272	0 13	−11 17	12 6	0 5	12 11	76
						[5,506	47,928]						
226,062	...	...	115,034	68,606	183,640	...	42,422	8 7	− 5 3	10 2	6 1	16 3	
...	89,447	...	40,428	870	41,298	...	48,149	0 2	− 5 17	9 1	0 2	9 3	
226,062	89,447	315,509	155,462	69,476	224,938	...	90,571	8 9	−11 0	9 10	4 5	14 3	
179,527	56,265	235,792	106,697	54,973	161,670	...	74,122	8 15	−11 16	9 1	4 8	13 9	1881
226,062	89,447	315,509	155,462	69,476	224,938	...	90,571	8 9	−11 0	9 10	4 5	14 3	1886
46,535	33,182	79,717	48,765	14,503	63,268	...	16,449	...	...	0 9	...	0 6	(*a*)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 6	0 16	...	0 3	...	(*b*)

TABLE showing the Relative Position of the Courts of the A.O.F., Melbourne District, as at the 31st and Ratio of Contributions, Capital,

Relative Position.	Court.	1 Rate of Interest per Annum Realised.	Court.	2 Average Age.	Court.	3 Sickness—Actual Rate—the Expected Rate being taken as 100.	Court.
		%		Yrs.		Wks.	
1	Star of Brunswick ...	8½	Albert	26	Bairnsdale	35	Inglewood ... ...
2	Inglewood	8	Bairnsdale	26½	Star of Brighton ...	39	Vaughan ... ...
3	Good Intent	7¾	Fern Tree Gully ...	29	Gisborne	42	Hawthorn ... ...
4	Chevy Chase	7¾	Forest of Dean ...	30	Ivanhoe	49	Walhalla ... ...
5	Forest Creek	7	St. Hubert	30½	Albert	49	Ivanhoe ... ...
6	St. George	6½	Alexandra	31	Pride of Richmond ...	51	Ballan ... ...
7	City of Lincoln ...	6¼	Star of Brighton ...	31¾	Fryers	51	Yarraberg ... ...
8	Friendship	6¼	Little John (Collingwood)	32	Kew	53	City of Lincoln ...
9	Friar Tuck	6¼	Walhalla	33½	Little John (Kyneton) ...	53	Ubique ... ...
10	Castlemaine	6¼	Thorncombe	33½	Star of Mornington ...	53	St. George ... ...
11	Kew	6¼	King of the Forest ...	33¾	Havelock	56	Brunswick ... ...
12	Ubique	6¼	Violet Grove	33¾	Rising Sun	57	Havelock ... ...
13	Campbell's Creek ...	6¼	Pride of Northcote ...	34	City of Lincoln ...	58	Goodwill ... ...
14	Dandenong	6¼	Star of Mornington ...	34¼	Broadmeadows ..	58	Garibaldi ... ...
15	Star of Brighton ...	6¼	Longford	34¼	Inglewood	59	Victoria ... ...
16	Prince of Wales ...	6	Cheltenham	34½	Longford	59	Broadmeadows ...
17	Sandridge	6	Rising Sun	35	Camberwell	61	Perseverance ... ...
18	Little John (Collingwood)	6	Gisborne	35	Perseverance	62	Queenscliff ... ...
19	Little John (Kyneton) ...	6	Forest Home	35½	Pride of Northcote ...	63	Reform ... ..
20	Victoria	5¾	Clarendon	35¾	Marion	64	Pride of Northcote ...
21	Benevolence	5¾	Broadmeadows ...	35¾	Southern Cross ...	66	Benevolence ... ...
22	Richmond	5¾	Pride of St. George ...	36	Goodwill	68	Richmond ... ...
23	Brunswick	5¾	Marion	36	Fitzroy	69	Kew ... ...
24	Tarrengower	5¾	Ubique	36	Brunswick	69	Star of Mornington ...
25	Rising Sun	5¾	Little John (Kyneton) ...	36	Benevolence	71	Robin Hood ... ...
26	Reform	5¾	Ivanhoe	36	Dandenong	71	Rising Sun ... ...
27	Clarendon	5¾	Fitzroy	36¼	Robin Hood	72	Industry ... ...
28	Robin Hood	5½	Star of Brunswick ...	36¼	Hotham	74	Marion ... ...
29	Star of the Forest ...	5½	Robin Hood	36¾	Ubique	75	Little John (Kyneton) ...
30	Hawthorn	5½	Prince of Wales ...	37	Alexandra	75	Southern Cross ...
31	Pride of Northcote ...	5½	Goodwill	37	Royal Artillery ...	81	Friendship .. ...
32	Industry	5¼	Otterburn	37	Walhalla	81	Unity ... ...
33	Yarraberg	5¼	Williamstown	37¼	Forest of Dean ...	81	Forest Home ... ..
34	Southern Cross ...	5¼	Queenscliff	37¼	Victoria	82	Happiness ... ...
35	Royal Artillery ...	5¼	Good Intent	37¾	Williamstown	83	Dandenong ... ...
36	Queenscliff	5¼	Dandenong	38	Sandridge	85	Little John (Collingwood)
37	Williamstown	5	St. George	38¼	Richmond	86	Clarendon ... ...
38	Fitzroy	5	Sandridge	38¼	Star of the Forest ...	91	Prince of Wales ...
39	Havelock	5	Benevolence	38¾	Star of Brunswick ...	91	Gisborne ... ...
40	Marion	5	Star of the Forest ...	38¾	Reform	92	Friar Tuck ... ...
41	Forest Home	5	Yarraberg	38¾	Clarendon	93	Star of the Forest ...
42	Forest of Dean ...	5	Kew	38¾	Friendship	97	Camberwell ... ...
43	Goodwill	4¾	Rob Roy	38¾	Rob Roy	97	Pride of St. George ...
44	King of the Forest ...	4¾	Friar Tuck	39	Happy Home	99	Fitzroy ... ...
45	Ivanhoe	4¾	Royal Artillery ...	39	Pride of St. George ...	99	Fryers ... ...
46	Star of Mornington ...	4¾	Richmond	39¼	Forest Home	102	Star of Brighton ...
47	Alexandra	4¾	Unity	39½	St. George	103	Chevy Chase ... ...
48	Garibaldi	4¾	Friendship	40¼	Hawthorn	103	Violet Grove ... ...
49	Vaughan	4¾	Brunswick	40½	Happiness	104	Williamstown ... ...
50	Sherwood Forest ...	4½	Perseverance	41	Fern Tree Gully ...	105	Forest of Dean ...
51	Cheltenham	4½	Happy Home	41¼	Collingwood	106	Royal Artillery ...
52	Walhalla	4½	Industry	41½	Castlemaine	106	Sandridge ... ...
53	Broadmeadows ...	4½	Tarrengower	41½	Abbotsford	106	Cheltenham ... ...
54	Thorncombe	4½	Reform	41½	King of the Forest ...	107	Good Intent ... ...
55	Rob Roy	4¼	Garibaldi	41¾	Good Intent	108	Longford ... ...
56	Gisborne	4¼	Pride of Richmond ...	42	Friar Tuck	109	Castlemaine ... ...
57	Unity	4¼	Collingwood	42¼	Industry	110	Alexandra ... ...
58	Pride of St. George ...	4	Sherwood Forest ...	42½	Prince of Wales ...	112	Pride of Richmond ...
59	Fryers	4	City of Lincoln ...	42¾	Violet Grove	112	St. Hubert ... ...
60	St. Hubert	4	Victoria	43¼	Queenscliff	117	Thorncombe ... ...
61	Happy Home	3¾	Happiness	44	Chevy Chase	119	Otterburn ... ...
62	Pride of Richmond ...	3¾	Hotham	44	Little John (Collingwood)	119	Rob Roy ... ...
63	Otterburn	3½	Forest Creek	44¼	Tarrengower	122	Abbotsford ... ...
64	Violet Grove	3	Havelock	44½	Garibaldi	126	Forest Creek ... ...
65	Guildford	3	Southern Cross ...	44¾	Thorncombe	127	Collingwood ... ...
66	Collingwood	2¼	Hawthorn	44¾	Sherwood Forest ...	130	Sherwood Forest ...
67	Camberwell	2¼	Fryers	45¼	Forest Creek	130	Hotham ... ...
68	Ballan	2¼	Camberwell	45½	Campbell's Creek ...	133	Albert ... ...
69	Longford	1¼	Chevy Chase	45¾	Vaughan	140	Tarrengower) ... ...
70	Albert	1¼	Abbotsford	47¼	Yarraberg	150	Star of Brunswick ...
71	Hotham	1	Vaughan	48½	Cheltenham	150	Guildford ... ...
72	Perseverance	½	Ballan	48½	Otterburn	154	Bairnsdale ... ...
73	Happiness	½	Inglewood	48¾	St. Hubert	161	Happy Home ... ...
74	Abbotsford	0	Castlemaine	49	Ballan	196	Campbell's Creek ...
75	Bairnsdale	0	Guildford	51¾	Guildford	228	King of the Forest ...
76	Fern Tree Gully ...	0	Campbell's Creek ...	54¼	Unity	291	Fern Tree Gully ...

December, 1886, in respect of Rate of Interest, Average Age, Sickness Experience, Capital per Member, and Assets to Liabilities in the £.

4		5		6		7		
Capital per Member.	Court.	Ratio of Value of Contributions to Liabilities per £.	Court.	Ratio of Capital to Liabilities per £.	Court.	Ratio of Assets to Liabilities per £.		Relative Position.
£ s.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		
33 17	Star of Brighton	16 7	Inglewood	21 2	Walhalla	30 9		1
25 16	Forest of Dean	13 11	Walhalla	19 0	Inglewood	28 1		2
25 9	Alexandra	13 8	Hawthorn	16 3	Ubique	27 4		3
23 17	Bairnsdale	13 3	Ivanhoe	16 2	Ivanhoe	27 2		4
22 11	Albert	13 0	Yarraberg	15 11	Yarraberg	26 3		5
21 10	Star of Mornington ...	12 11	Ubique	15 4	St. George	24 7		6
20 3	Pride of Northcote ...	12 11	St. George	14 3	Hawthorn	24 3		7
18 18	Gisborne	12 6	City of Lincoln	13 7	Pride of Northcote ...	24 0		8
17 1	Fern Tree Gully	12 6	Vaughan	13 7	Star of Brighton	23 10		9
16 15	Little John (Kyneton) ...	12 1	Goodwill	12 8	Goodwill	23 9		10
16 11	Ubique	12 0	Brunswick	12 0	City of Lincoln	22 6		11
16 11	Little John (Collingwood) ...	11 10	Pride of Northcote ...	11 1	Star of Mornington ...	22 0		12
16 8	Rising Sun	11 9	Havelock	10 11	Brunswick	21 10		13
14 18	Walhalla	11 9	Victoria	10 1	Vaughan	21 6		14
14 16	Marion	11 8	Broadmeadows	10 0	Broadmeadows	21 6		15
14 9	King of the Forest ...	11 8	Queenscliff	10 0	Queenscliff	20 6		16
13 17	Robin Hood	11 6	Ballan	9 11	Little John (Kyneton) ...	20 3		17
13 8	Broadmeadows	11 6	Star of Mornington ...	9 1	Rising Sun	19 10		18
11 14	Thorncombe	11 6	Richmond	9 0	Marion	19 10		19
11 14	Clarendon	11 4	Benevolence	8 11	Robin Hood	19 8		20
11 9	Dandenong	11 3	Kew	8 9	Kew	19 8		21
11 4	Forest Home	11 2	Garibaldi	8 9	Benevolence	19 3		22
11 1	Goodwill...	11 1	Reform	8 3	Forest of Dean	19 3		23
10 13	Longford	11 1	Robin Hood	8 2	Richmond	19 0		24
9 18	Fitzroy	11 0	Marion	8 2	Havelock	19 0		25
9 18	Star of Brunswick ...	11 0	Little John (Kyneton) ...	8 2	Victoria	18 11		26
9 17	Ivanhoe	11 0	Rising Sun	8 1	Forest Home	18 10		27
9 17	St. Hubert	11 0	Forest Home	7 8	Little John (Collingwood)...	18 5		28
9 12	Williamstown	10 11	Perseverance	7 6	Dandenong	18 5		29
9 9	Kew	10 11	Star of Brighton	7 3	Gisborne	18 4		30
9 4	Sandridge	10 10	Dandenong	7 2	Ballan	17 9		31
9 1	Cheltenham	10 10	Friendship	6 11	Reform	17 6		32
8 13	Good Intent	10 8	Southern Cross	6 10	Garibaldi	17 5		33
8 10	Friar Tuck	10 6	Little John (Collingwood) ...	6 7	Clarendon	17 4		34
8 3	Violet Grove	10 6	Industry	6 6	Alexandra	17 2		35
7 16	Queenscliff	10 6	Clarendon	6 0	Perseverance	16 6		36
7 8	Prince of Wales	10 5	Friar Tuck	5 10	Friar Tuck	16 4		37
7 0	Royal Artillery	10 5	Gisborne...	5 10	Fitzroy	16 4		38
6 19	Benevolence	10 4	Prince of Wales	5 9	Prince of Wales	16 2		39
6 17	Yarraberg	10 4	Fitzroy	5 4	Southern Cross	16 2		40
6 15	St. George	10 4	Forest of Dean	5 4	Friendship	15 11		41
6 14	Star of the Forest ...	10 2	Star of the Forest ...	5 1	Industry...	15 5		42
6 13	Richmond	10 0	Unity	5 1	Star of the Forest ...	15 3		43
6 12	Pride of St. George ...	10 0	Good Intent	4 3	Williamstown	15 0		44
6 12	Brunswick	9 10	Happiness	4 1	Good Intent	14 11		45
6 7	Rob Roy...	9 10	Williamstown	4 1	Sandridge	14 8		46
5 19	Unity	9 6	Pride of St. George ...	3 11	Unity	14 7		47
5 17	Southern Cross	9 4	Royal Artillery	3 11	Cheltenham	14 5		48
5 9	Reform	9 3	Chevy Chase	3 11	Royal Artillery	14 4		49
5 4	Perseverance	9 0	Sandridge	3 10	Albert	14 2		50
5 0	Friendship	9 0	Cheltenham	3 7	Bairnsdale	14 2		51
4 17	City of Lincoln	8 11	Fryers	3 6	Pride of St. George ...	13 11		52
4 17	Industry...	8 11	Alexandra	3 6	Violet Grove	13 9		53
4 14	Otterburn	8 11	Camberwell	3 3	Thorncombe	13 9		54
3 16	Victoria	8 10	Violet Grove	3 3	Longford	13 2		55
3 13	Happy Home	8 8	Thorncombe	2 3	St. Hubert	13 1		56
3 11	Garibaldi	8 8	Castlemaine	2 2	Fern Tree Gully	12 11		57
3 3	Pride of Richmond ...	8 7	St. Hubert	2 1	King of the Forest ...	12 8		58
3 3	Collingwood	8 6	Longford	2 1	Star of Brunswick ...	12 4		59
3 1	Tarrengower	8 6	Pride of Richmond ...	1 9	Happiness	12 1		60
2 18	Forest Creek	8 5	Rob Roy...	1 9	Chevy Chase	11 10		61
2 13	Sherwood Forest	8 3	Forest Creek	1 6	Rob Roy...	11 7		62
2 12	Hotham	8 3	Otterburn	1 5	Fryers	11 5		63
2 4	Havelock	8 1	Star of Brunswick ...	1 4	Camberwell	11 2		64
1 19	Happiness	8 0	Abbotsford	1 3	Pride of Richmond ...	10 4		65
1 18	Hawthorn	8 0	Sherwood Forest	1 2	Otterburn	10 4		66
1 18	Chevy Chase	7 11	Tarrengower	1 2	Forest Creek	9 11		67
1 17	Camberwell	7 11	Albert	1 2	Tarrengower	9 8		68
1 15	Fryers	7 11	Collingwood	1 1	Collingwood	9 7		69
1 9	Vaughan	7 11	Hotham	1 0	Sherwood Forest	9 5		70
1 9	Ballan	7 10	King of the Forest ...	1 0	Happy Home	9 5		71
1 9	Abbotsford	7 0	Bairnsdale	0 11	Hotham	9 3		72
1 6	Castlemaine	6 11	Happy Home	0 9	Castlemaine	9 1		73
1 5	Inglewood	6 11	Campbell's Creek... ...	0 8	Abbotsford	8 3		74
1 4	Guildford	6 8	Guildford	0 8	Guildford	7 4		75
0 13	Campbell's Creek	5 9	Fern Tree Gully	0 5	Campbell's Creek... ...	6 5		76

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. I have taken Ratcliffe's Experience of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows in England, 1866–70, as the basis of the Valuation Tables employed.

2. The results obtained, in the first instance, from the Valuation Tables have been modified so as to approximate as closely as was considered expedient to the quantities which would have been brought out had such tables been originally based on the quinquennial experience of the members of the branches.

3. The value of the liabilities, on account of the probable sickness after 70 years of age, has been thus estimated:—The sum equivalent at the date of the valuation to an allowance of £6 per annum for life when 70 years of age has been set down to the account of each member in lieu of the pay then claimable in case of sickness.

4. The values of the prospective income and outgo, on account of members owing more than fourteen weeks' contributions, have been excluded from the valuation.

5. The deficiency shown in the total of the Court Sick Funds I believe to be due to inadequate contributions. The average age of the members at the end of 1886 was 38¼ years, and their period of membership 11 years; they were, therefore, admitted at the average age of 27¼ years, paying 1s. 7¼d. each per lunar month to the Sick Fund. This is insufficient to meet the current claims of existing members and also to provide a fund sufficiently large to bear the continuously increasing strain incident to their advancing years. To improve the financial condition of the funds, I recommend—(1) That an adequate scale of contributions, graduated according to the liabilities at the admission-age, be adopted in respect to future members; (2) That the present contributions of existing members be divided between the funds in the manner shown in paragraph 16 of the Addendum to this Report; and (3) That the contributions of the latter be also increased so as to approach at the entry-age of each as near as may be practically possible to the adequate graduated scale recommended above.

6. The deficiency shown in the District Funeral Fund I believe to be due to inadequate contributions, and insufficient capital consequent thereon, and on deficient interest earnings. To improve the financial condition of the fund the same course should be followed as I have recommended in the case of the Sick Fund. It will be necessary also to pay more attention to keeping the capital regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

7. The deficiency shown in the whole Society I believe to be due to inadequate contributions. See sections 5 and 6 above for the recommendations I have made with the view of improving the condition of the funds.

8. The following points call for remark in the District Funeral Fund. The condition and management of this fund during the quinquennium have been unsatisfactory. The capital was reduced during 1882–3 from £2,212 to £939, increased during 1884 to £1,159, again reduced during 1885–6 to £870, the minimum prescribed by Law No. 33 being £1,000. So much as 57 per cent. of the average capital during the period remained unproductive, with the result that the interest received was equal to 7 per cent. on the sum invested, but only £2 9s. per cent. on the whole fund. The manner of crediting the interest was fitful and irregular—in 1886 no interest was entered, in 1883 the rate was under 4s. per cent., in 1884 nearly 8 per cent.

Extracts from the Report of the Actuary on each Court.

No. 1.—Victoria.—The income of the Sick and Funeral Fund during the quinquennium exceeded the outgo by £760, but as the returns from investments amounted to £1,090 the outgo exceeded the income by £330.

No. 2.—City of Lincoln.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large relative capital, favorable sickness experience, and the investment business having been carefully attended to during the quinquennium. During 1884–5 £60 was stated to have been lost through depreciation of Government debentures. The funds during the period have been regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

No. 3.—Perseverance.—The revenue account of the Sick and Funeral Fund during 1882–86, when the value of the Hall buildings is reduced from £7,500 to £4,000, as determined upon by the Court and District Committees, is as follows:—

Balance, 1st January, 1882			£3,503 11 2
Receipts, 1882–86—			
Contributions	£1,984 17 11		
Entrance Fees	34 5 11		
Interest (1882, 1883)	91 18 1		
Sundries	66 18 2		
		2,178 0 1	
Expenditure, 1882–86—			
Sick Pay	£1,466 11 10		
Funeral Fund Dues	455 18 9		
		1,922 10 7	
Excess of income above expenditure ...	... ...		£255 9 6
Transferred from—			
Incidental Fund, 1882–85	£268 11 7		
Building Fund, 1885–86	236 18 3		
		505 9 10	
Balance, 31st December, 1886 ...	...		£4,264 10 6

An undertaking has been given by the Court Committee that, in future, 3 per cent. interest at least will be paid every year into the Sick and Funeral Fund on account of the capital belonging thereto invested in the Hall buildings.

No. 4.—Good Intent.—The number of members was doubled during the quinquennium, and the capital also increased absolutely a little, but decreased considerably relatively to the membership, apparently due mainly to the excessive expenditure, £1 13s. 6d. per member per annum in 1882–83. The funds were regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

No. 5.—Industry.—In 1882, trustees' expenses, £9, were improperly paid from the Sick and Funeral Fund. The funds do not appear to have been invested with the necessary closeness during some of the years of the quinquennium and the amount of interest credited has been irregular.

No. 6.—Collingwood.—The business of the Court appears to have been mismanaged during the quinquennium; except in the year 1886 the expenditure exceeded the income. The funds were represented as being closely invested, but the interest which should have been received was not credited.

No. 7.—Sherwood Forest.—The expenditure during the quinquennium exceeded the income by £127.

No. 8.—Robin Hood.—Good progress, both financially and numerically, was made during the quinquennium. In 1882, trustees' expenses, 15s., were improperly paid out of the Sick and Funeral Fund; in 1883 the funds were apparently increased by raising the estimated value of the Hall from £639 to £1,024. The funds have been closely and regularly invested, and at fairly remunerative rates.

No. 9.—Happy Home.—During 1883–86 the capital was reduced from £150 to £91. The interest received was not credited annually.

No. 10.—Friendship.—The rate of interest realized at the beginning has not been maintained throughout the quinquennium, apparently owing principally to too great a proportion of the capital remaining uninvested.

No. 11.—Benevolence.—In 1882, trustees' expenses, £3 10s., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. Steady progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were closely and regularly invested, and at fairly remunerative rates.

No. 12.—Happiness.—The accumulated funds were reduced from £212 in 1882 to £116 in 1884, when they were apparently increased by £500 by writing up the value of the Hall from £100 to £600. Except in 1884, no interest was received during the quinquennium from the sum invested in the Hall. In 1882, £4 8s. 8d. was improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund, under the head of interest on mortgage £1 12s., hall-keeper's salary £1 10s., rates £1 6s. 8d.

No. 13.—Williamstown.—In 1882–83 the rate of interest credited was only half the rate obtained in 1884–86. This was probably due to 50 per cent. of the funds having been invested in a hall, for the use of which the Incidental Fund neglected to pay rent.

No. 14.—Friar Tuck.—The funds were closely, regularly, and profitably invested during the quinquennium.

No. 15.—Richmond.—In 1882, trustees' salaries, £3, were improperly paid from the Sick and Funeral Fund. The capital has steadily increased during the quinquennium, but has decreased relatively to the membership. Some irregularity is observable in the rate of interest annually credited.

No. 16.—Prince of Wales.—In 1882, trustees' expenses, £2 12s. 6d., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. Steady progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were closely, regularly, and profitably invested.

No. 17.—Hotham.—During 1885–86, the capital was reduced from £344 to £271, the expenditure for sick pay alone having exceeded the income from contributions. Close upon £200 was stated to be invested in 1882–83–84, but the interest therefrom was not credited.

No. 19.—Brunswick.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a moderately large capital, favorable sickness experience, and the realization of a fair amount of interest on the average during the quinquennium. In 1882, trustees' expenses, £2 1s. 6d., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund; in 1884–85 the interest decreased absolutely and relatively, although the capital increased.

No. 20.—Castlemaine.—The funds during the quinquennium have been regularly, closely, and profitably invested. This Court has retrogressed both numerically and financially during the period.

No. 21.—Havelock.—Trustees' expenses, £1 1s., were improperly debited in 1882 to the Sick and Funeral Fund. In 1884 a claim of £20 funeral money, which the District Officers declined to recognize and pay out of the District Funeral Fund, was paid out of the Court Sick Fund.

No. 22.—Star of the Forest.—In 1882, trustees' expenses, 7s. 6d., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. Fair progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

No. 24.—Yarraberg.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large capital and the retirement of the older members by withdrawals and death. In 1882, trustees' expenses 15s., compiling Government Returns 10s., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund; and in 1885 £2 was transferred therefrom to the Incidental Fund without explanation of the reason therefor. The interest credited in 1883 and 1886 was very low compared with the rest of the quinquennium.

No. 25.—Tarrengower.—The Sick and Funeral Fund was reduced during the quinquennium from £388 at the beginning of 1882 to £365 at the end of 1883, and from £469 at the beginning of 1885 to £266 at the end of 1886, mainly due to the excessive expenditure for sick pay, equal to 31s. per member per annum on the average, and exceeding the income from contributions in 1885–86 by £192. The interest credited in 1885 was greatly below the average.

No. 26.—St. George.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a moderately large capital and the realization of a considerable amount of interest during the quinquennium. Steady numerical and financial progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were regularly and profitably invested, but not with the closeness apparently attainable, £255 annually on the average bringing in no interest.

No. 27.—Rising Sun.—Good numerical progress was made during the quinquennium, and steady financial progress, but at a slower rate than the membership. In 1883 a debt of £8 9s., due from the Medical and Management Fund to the Sick and Funeral Fund, was written off instead of being repaid. In 1882 39 per cent. of the capital was uninvested, and 29 per cent. in 1885, reducing the interest below the average in the succeeding year in each case.

No. 29.—Pride of St. George.—In 1886, insurance premium, £1 12s., was improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. The investment business of the Court appears to have been mismanaged during 1884–5–6, the interest credited being on the average 4 per cent. less per annum than in 1882–83.

No. 30.—Reform.—The funds were regularly and closely invested during the quinquennium, at a fairly remunerative rate of interest.

No. 31.—Goodwill.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a moderately large capital, favorable sickness experience, retirement of older members by death and withdrawals, and accession of younger men. In 1882, trustees' expenses, £1, were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. 58 per cent. of the capital in 1882, and 18 per cent. in 1883, remained uninvested, with the result of considerably reducing the amount of interest received.

No. 32.—Marion.—Fair progress was made during the quinquennium, but the interest was allowed to fall considerably below the average in 1884 and 1886.

No. 33.—Clarendon.—In 1882, trustees' expenses and secretary's commission, £4 16s., were improperly debited to the Sick and Funeral Fund. During 1882–83 so much as 18 per cent. of the capital was kept uninvested. With this exception the funds during the quinquennium were closely, regularly, and profitably invested.

No. 34.—King of the Forest.—The interest credited in 1882 and 1883 was considerably below the average of the rest of the quinquennium.

No. 35.—Kew.—In 1882, the repayment of bank overdraft, £50, was brought into the Sick and Funeral Fund account, which was irregular, and interest therefor, £1 17s. 6d., was debited thereto, which was improper. In 1886, when the accumulated fund was 36 per cent. greater than at the beginning of the quinquennium, the rate of interest was 2 per cent. less than the average of the other four years.

No. 36.—Abbotsford.—The business of this Court during the quinquennium appears to have been neglected by the Committee of Management.

No. 37.—Forest Home.—In 1883 £10 was lost by the Sick and Funeral Fund through error in balance brought forward, and the sick pay exceeded the contributions by 50 per cent., resulting in the expenditure being greater than the income.

No. 38.—Rob Roy.—In 1882 the sick pay and funeral dues were 46 per cent. greater than the contributions, producing a retrogression in the accumulated fund.

No. 39.—Sandridge.—Fair returns have been received on the average from the investments during the quinquennium, but the interest has been irregularly credited.

No. 40.—Royal Artillery.—In 1882, trustees' salary, secretary's commission, and insurance, £5 altogether, were improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund, and £8 3s. was illegally transferred therefrom to the Medical and Management Fund. In 1884 the expenditure for sick pay alone greatly exceeded the income from contributions.

No. 41.—Ubique.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large capital, favorable sickness experience, the retirement of the older and accession of younger members reducing the average age and consequently the liability, and to the realization during the quinquennium of a considerable amount of interest. In 1882, trustees' expenses, £3, were improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund.

No. 42.—Forest Creek.—The capital decreased during 1882–85 from £209 to £162, the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues during the quinquennium having exceeded the income from contributions by 28 per cent. The funds were closely, regularly, and profitably invested.

No. 43.—Chevy Chase.—The capital was reduced during the quinquennium from £883 to £828, the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having exceeded the income from contributions by 42 per cent. Except in 1882, when the interest realized on the sums invested was less than 2½ per cent., the funds were closely, regularly, and profitably invested, and the interest arising from the investment of the Medical and Management Fund was appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund.

No. 44.—Hawthorn.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large relative capital.

No. 45.—Little John, Collingwood.—The funds during the quinquennium were closely, regularly, and profitably invested.

No. 46.—Camberwell.—£120 of the Sick and Funeral Fund was invested in a hall during the quinquennium, for the use of which the Medical and Management Fund appears not to have paid rent. From £132 to £214 was stated to be invested during the period, but interest was credited in 1883 and 1886 only.

No. 47.—Little John, Kyneton.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to light sickness experience and the retirement of the older and accession of younger members. In 1882, commission on interest, 12s. 3d., was improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund. The funds during the quinquennium were regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

No. 48.—Gisborne.—Good progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were kept regularly and closely invested, but the rate of interest realized was somewhat low.

No. 49.—Campbell's Creek.—This Court has retrogressed both numerically and financially during the quinquennium, the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having exceeded the income from contributions by 56 per cent.; the interest, except in 1882, has, however, been maintained at a high rate.

No. 50.—Dandenong.—Steady financial progress was made, though at a slightly slower rate than the membership, until 1886, in which year a check was experienced through the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having absorbed the total income.

No. 51.—Star of Brunswick.—During 1882–83 the expenditure exceeded the income, the capital being reduced from £148 to £109. The funds during the five years were regularly, closely, and profitably invested, the exceptionally high rate of interest credited being principally due, however, to the interest of the Medical and Management Fund being wisely appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund.

No. 52.—Inglewood.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large relative capital, light sickness experience, and high rate of interest obtained on total funds.

No. 53.—Otterburn.—In 1882 no interest was credited, though £260 was stated to be invested in that and the preceding year. The membership has been increasing and the capital diminishing during the quinquennium, the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having exceeded the income from contributions by 28 per cent.

No. 55.—Violet Grove.—The amount of interest credited in 1886 was insignificant.

No. 56.—Ivanhoe.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large relative capital and light sickness experience.

No. 57.—Guildford.—During 1882–84 the capital was reduced from £119 to £21, principally owing to the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having exceeded the income by 85 per cent.

No. 58.—Star of Mornington.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of over average relative capital, light sickness experience, and the retirement of the older and accession of younger members. Steady progress was made during the five years.

No. 59.—Unity.—The capital was reduced during the quinquennium from £210 to £145, principally owing to the sick pay and funeral dues expenditure having been double the income from contributions.

No. 60.—Cheltenham.—During 1882–83 the capital was reduced from £250 to £215, owing mainly to the expenditure for sick pay and funeral dues having exceeded the income from contributions by 39 per cent. During the remainder of the quinquennium fair progress was made.

No. 61.—Alexandra.—In 1882, trustees' expenses, 15s., were improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund. The funds during the quinquennium were regularly invested, but not as closely as they should have been.

No. 63.—Star of Brighton.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the retirement of the older and accession of younger members, light sickness experience, and consequent small relative liability. Good progress was made during the quinquennium, and the funds were regularly, closely, and profitably invested.

No. 64.—Walhalla.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the possession of a large relative capital, the average age, and therefore the liability, having been reduced by the retirement of the older and accession of younger members, and favorable sickness experience. Considerable irregularity is apparent in the amount of interest annually credited.

No. 65.—Vaughan.—The surplus shown I believe to be due entirely to the largeness of the capital relatively to the membership.

No. 66.—Pride of Northcote.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the retirement of the older and accession of younger members, reducing the average age, and consequently the liability, to favorable sickness experience, and to the possession of over average capital. In 1882, trustees' expenses, £3, were improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund.

No. 67.—Ballan.—This Court has retrogressed generally during the quinquennium. The members drew from the funds £3 6s. sick pay each per annum on the average. In 1880 no portion of the capital was invested; in 1883–84 about £200 was invested, but no interest was credited.

No. 68.—Broadmeadows.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the favorable sickness experience, the reduction in the average age, and therefore in the liability, and the possession of over average capital. During 1882–85, trustees' expenses, £4 12s., were improperly charged to the Sick and Funeral Fund. In 1882 a debt from the Medical and Management Fund to the Sick and Funeral Fund of £4 18s. was illegally written off instead of being repaid.

No. 69.—Thorncombe.—The expenditure during the quinquennium for sick pay and funeral dues exceeded the income from contributions, and the inconsiderable improvement in the capital was due to the interest realized alone.

No. 70.—Forest of Dean.—Fair progress was made during the quinquennium, but interest was not credited with the regularity desirable.

No. 71.—St. Hubert.—Steady progress was made during the quinquennium, but the interest was irregularly credited.

No. 72.—Queenscliff.—The surplus shown I believe to be due to the reduction during the quinquennium of the average age of members, and therefore of the liability, and the possession of over average capital.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 31st January, 1889.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

ADDENDUM BY THE ACTUARY TO HIS REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE A.O.F., MELBOURNE DISTRICT, AS AT THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1886.

This being the second occasion upon which a valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Society has been effected, an opportunity is given of ascertaining, not only its financial position at the end of 1886, but also the progress, if any, it has made during the five years that have elapsed since the preceding investigation.

2. The benefits afforded to members are the same as they were in 1881:—Medical attendance to a member, his wife, and children under 18, sick pay at the rate of 20s., 10s., and 5s. per week, according as it falls under the scale of the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd six months' duration; funeral donations, £20 on the death of a member, £10 on the death of a wife.

3. This being one of the nine societies with branches whose contributions were shown on valuation to be inadequate, but which have made no increase therein, the contributions payable by members and the proportion thereof assigned to the several funds were the same in 1886 as they were in 1881. The following is the scale:—

CONTRIBUTIONS, 1881 AND 1886.

Age at Entry.	Entrance Fee credited to Medical and Management Fund.	Contributions per Lunar Month, with 1s. per quarter in addition.	Annual Contributions.				
			Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
18–21	5 0						
21–23	7 6						
23–25	10 0	4 0	56 0	30 0	26 0	20 0	6 0
25–27	15 0						
27–30	20 0						
30–31	31 0						
31–32	32 0						
32–33	33 0	4 6	62 6	33 3	29 3	23 3	6 0
33–34	34 0						
34–35	35 0						
35–36	36 0						
36–37	37 0	5 0	69 0	36 6	32 6	26 6	6 0
37–38	38 0						
38–39	39 0						
39–40	40 0						
40–45	60s., with back contributions from 40, whereof one-half is payable to the Sick and Funeral Fund	6 0	82 0	43 0	39 0	33 0	6 0

4. By the 32nd General Law it is provided that on the initiation of a member the sum of 2s. 6d. is to be paid by his Court to the District Funeral Fund, but the District Secretary informs me that this is paid, not, as might have been naturally anticipated, from the initiation fee received from such member, but from the Court Sick Fund. A married member is required to pay, in addition to the above entrance fee on his initiation or admission from another district, the following registration fee on account of his wife:—If she be under 30 years of age, 2s. 6d.; 30–35, 5s.; over 35, 7s. 6d. A member under 40, whose wife is above 40, has to pay 10s. a year in advance, whereof 5s. is assigned to the Court Incidental Fund and 5s. to the District Funeral Fund. A member having received the funeral benefit on account of his wife may register a second wife, if under 45, on payment of a fee of 10s. 6d., and of 3s. a quarter to the District Funeral Fund.

5. The liabilities in respect to sickness are undertaken by the individual Courts, which retain the contributions applicable thereto, and forward quarterly to the district the contributions appropriated to the discharge of the death claims, the funeral donations being paid out of the District Funeral Fund. It was necessary, therefore, to make the valuation of the sickness liabilities in the several branches and the funeral claims in the district taken as a distinct branch embracing the entire membership.

6. The following is the financial position of the aggegate Court Sick Funds in the valuation of 1881 and 1886:—

SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	Number of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	6,273	21 1	179,527	82,339	52,761	135,100	44,427	8 8	7 1	9 2	5 11	15 1
1886	8,223	20 11	226,062	115,034	68,606	183,640	42,422	8 7	5 3	10 2	6 1	16 3
Increase ...	1,950	...	46,535	32,695	15,845	48,540	...	...	...	1 0	0 2	1 2
Decrease ...	...	0 2	...	...	...	...	2,005	0 1	1 18	...	...	...

7. On comparing the position of the aggregate Court Sick Funds in the first and second valuations it is seen that the membership has increased by 1,950, paying on the average per annum 2d. less per member; the liabilities have increased by £46,500, and the value of the contributions, capital, and assets by £32,700, £15,800, and £48,500 respectively; the deficiency, and the capital and deficiency per member, have severally decreased by £2,000, 1s., and £1 18s. The relative position is best showu by the ratio of assets to liabilities per £, where it will be observed that the value of the contributions, capital, and assets have increased by 1s., 2d., and 1s. 2d. respectively. The capital has not increased as quickly as the membership, but the value of the contributions, notwithstanding the reduction per member and the capital, have increased more quickly than the liabilities; this is due mainly to the reduction in the average age and in the sickness experience.

8. The position of the District Funeral Fund in the valuation of 1881 and 1886 was as under:—

DISTRICT FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	Number of Members.	Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value o Contributions.	Capital.	Assets
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	6,273	6 1	56,265	24,358	2,212	26,570	29,695	0 7	4 15	8 8	0 10	9 6
1886	8,223	6 1	89,447	40,428	870	41,298	48,149	0 2	5 17	9 1	0 2	9 3
Increase ...	1,950	...	33,182	16,070	...	14,728	18,454	...	1 2	0 5	...	...
Decrease ...	...	...	...	...	1,342	...	...	0 5	...	...	0 8	0 3

9. It will be noticed that the liabilities have increased by £33,200, and value of the contributions has increased by £16,000, while the capital has decreased by £1,300, resulting in an increase in the assets of only £14,700, and in the deficiency of £18,500; the capital per member has decreased by 5s., and the deficiency per member has increased by £1 2s.; the value of the contributions relatively to the liabilities has increased by 5d. in the £, and the capital and assets have decreased by 8d. and 3d. respectively. While the membership increased the capital decreased, principally owing to the insufficiency of the contributions, and to the capital not having been properly invested.

10. When the Court Sick Funds and the District Funeral Fund are taken together, the result is as shown in the subjoined Table:—

TOTAL SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1881 AND 1886.

The Valuation of—	Number of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Li bilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay and Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1881	6,273	27 2	235,792	106,697	54,973	161,670	74,122	8 15	11 16	9 1	4 8	13 9
1886	8,223	27 0	315,509	155,462	69,476	224,938	90,571	8 9	11 0	9 10	4 5	14 3
Increase ...	1,950	...	79,717	48,765	14,503	63,268	16,449	...	...	0 9	...	0 6
Decrease ...	...	0 2	...	...	...	...	...	0 6	0 16	...	0 3	...

11. When the Funeral Fund of the District and the Sick Funds of the Courts are taken together it is seen that the liabilities in the valuation of 1886 are greater than those of 1881 by nearly £80,000, and the assets greater by £63,000; the deficiency has therefore increased absolutely by £16,500, but decreased relatively to the membership by 16s. The contributions have increased in value more quickly than the liabilities, but the liabilities have increased somewhat more quickly than the capital, the net result being that the financial condition of the Society in 1886 is *better*, comparing the assets with the liabilities, than it was in 1881 by 6d. in the £.

12. The progress of the several funds of the Society during the quinquennium is shown in the subjoined Table:—

QUINQUENNIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT, 1882–1886.

	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Funds.	Medical and Management Fund.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Funds, 1st Jan., 1882 ...	51,221 6 4	2,211 16 11	53,433 3 3	2,921 9 5	56,354 12 8
Receipts, 1882–86.					
Contributions	38,111 6 11	11,668 16 11	49,780 3 10	52,698 4 0	102,478 7 10
Levies	85 9 0	...	85 9 0	5,669 13 3	5,755 2 3
Entrance fees ...	457 10 4	...	457 10 4	3,581 7 6	4,038 17 10
Interest	15,446 17 9	154 2 2	15,600 19 11	169 3 8	15,770 3 7
Sundries	6,957 4 4	16 0 6	6,973 4 10	10,911 14 2	17,884 19 0
Total ...	61,058 8 4	11,838 19 7	72,897 7 11	73,030 2 7	145,927 10 6
Expenditure, 1882–86.					
Sick pay	39,556 16 5	...	39,556 16 5	...	39,556 16 5
Funeral donations ...	...	13,165 5 0	13,165 5 0	...	13,165 5 0
Medical attendance and medicine	...	...	...	43,931 15 4	43,931 15 4
Management	...	...	...	17,597 17 0	17,597 17 0
Sundries	617 13 5	15 18 3	633 11 8	10,827 2 10	11,460 14 6
Total ...	40,174 9 10	13,181 3 3	53,355 13 1	72,356 15 2	125,712 8 3
Increase, 1882–86 ...	20,883 18 6	− 1,342 3 8	19,541 14 10	673 7 5	20,215 2 3
Funds, 31st Dec., 1886 ...	72,105 4 10	869 13 3	72,974 18 1	3,594 16 10	76,569 14 11

13. These figures show that the expenses of management during the quinquennium were equal to $13\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. of the total income, omitting sundries, and to $15\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the income from contributions, sick pay to $35\frac{1}{4}$ per cent., funeral donations to $11\frac{3}{4}$ per cent., and medical attendance and medicine to $39\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

14. No alteration having been made since the last valuation in the distribution between the several funds of members' contributions, the observations I found it necessary to make on that occasion are equally applicable now. They are as follow:—

"The Society should take into its most serious consideration, with a view to the immediate revision of the laws, the manner in which the income from members' monthly contributions is distributed between the Sick Fund, the Funeral Fund, and the Medical Management and Incidental Expense Fund, as exhibited in the Table (see paragraph 3 of this Addendum). I am at a loss to understand upon what principle of propriety graduated rates of contributions, increasing after 30 years with the age of entry, are paid to the Medical and Management Fund, and a uniform payment at every age to the Funeral Fund. A member joining at 18 pays, as his contribution towards defraying the cost of medical attendance, medicine, and managing the business of the Society, the sum of 30s. a year, and a person just under 40 pays 43s. What justification can there be for making this difference? Do the doctor and chemist charge differential rates, dependent on the age at which the member originally entered the Society? Is the Society put to greater expense in any way in the matter of management on account of its older as compared with its younger members? A member whose wife is 40 when he is initiated pays in advance, as I have already stated, 5s. a year for life to the Incidental Fund of his Court. In what way does the age of the wife affect the expenses of management? What additional benefit does such a member receive in return for his second 5s. a year? The manner of distributing the initiation fee is equally extraordinary. There is an increase here of 1s. for each additional year in the entry age after 20 up to 40 years (slightly altered in 1883—see paragraph 3 of this Addendum), and the whole is appropriated to the Medical Management Fund."

15. The following are the payments practically made per lunar month by existing members and the manner in which they are divided between the Court Medical and Management Fund and Sick and Funeral Fund and the District Funeral Fund, under Laws Nos. 76, 78, and 119, assuming that the quarterly payment to the latter fund under Laws Nos. 32, 32A, and 33 is 1s. 6d. per member:—

PRESENT CONTRIBUTIONS PER LUNAR MONTH.

Age at Entry.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
18–30	4 $3\frac{9}{13}$	2 $3\frac{9}{13}$	2 0	1 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$
30–35	4 $9\frac{9}{13}$	2 $6\frac{9}{13}$	2 3	1 $9\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$
35–38	5 $3\frac{9}{13}$	2 $9\frac{9}{13}$	2 6	2 $0\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$
38–40	6 $3\frac{9}{13}$	3 $3\frac{9}{13}$	3 0	2 $6\frac{6}{13}$	0 $5\frac{7}{13}$

16. If these rates were re-apportioned between the funds in the following manner some improvement above the age of 30 would be effected in the payments to the Sick Funds, and considerable improvement in those of the Funeral Fund, without actually increasing, except to a scarcely perceptible extent, members' present contributions:—

CONTRIBUTIONS PER LUNAR MONTH PROPERLY DIVIDED.

Age at Entry.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
18–30	4 4	2 4	2 0	1 6	0 6
30–35	4 10	2 4	2 6	1 11	0 7
35–38	5 4	2 4	3 0	2 3	0 9
38–40	6 4	2 4	4 0	3 0	1 0

17. To enable members readily to see which Courts have been a source of strength to the society, which a source of weakness, and why, I give a list of the Courts arranged in order according to certain elements which affect the position of a branch in a valuation. (See the Table of Relative Position of Courts.)

The Courts are given therein in the order of:—(1) Average rate of interest realised during the five years 1882–86; (2) Average valuation ages of members; (3) Rate of actual sickness relatively to expected rate, according to Ratcliffe's Experience of the M.U., England, 1866–70; (4) Capital per member; and (5), (6), (7), Ratio per £ to liabilites of value of contributions, capital, and assets.

18. In the comparison of the Courts in the matter of the average annual rate of interest obtained by each it will be noticed that:—

2	Courts obtained from	8	to	$8\frac{1}{2}$	per cent.
3	,, ,,	7	,,	$7\frac{3}{4}$	,,
14	,, ,,	6	,,	$6\frac{1}{2}$	,,
23	,, ,,	5	,,	$5\frac{3}{4}$	,,
18	,, ,,	4	,,	$4\frac{3}{4}$	,,
5	,, ,,	3	,,	$3\frac{3}{4}$	,,
3	,, ,,	...		$2\frac{1}{4}$	,,
3	,, ,,	1	,,	$1\frac{1}{4}$	,,
2	,, ,,	...		$\frac{1}{2}$	,,
3	,, ,,	...		0	,,

19. The average age of the members at the end of 1886 was $38\frac{1}{4}$ years; at the end of 1881, $40\frac{3}{4}$ years. The membership during the quinquennium has, therefore, become younger, due to the retirement of older and accession of younger men; in 2 Courts the average age of members was the same as that of the whole Society, in 36 Courts it was less, and in 38 Courts it was greater. With respect to the rate of sickness experienced during the quinquennium 1882–86, when the M.U. experience, England, is taken as the standard of comparison, it will be noticed that in 45 Courts the actual rate of sickness was less than the expected rate, and in 31 Courts greater. The average capital per member in all the Courts taken together was £8 7s.; in 34 Courts it was greater than the average, in 42 Courts less.

20. By means of the Table of Relative Position some interesting questions relating to particular Courts can be answered. Court Victoria, for example, which stands 14th in the order of ratio of capital to liabilities (column 6) sinks down to the 26th place in the order of assets to liabilities (column 7); this is seen to arise from the position of the Court in the order of value of contributions to liabilities (column 5), being as low as the 55th place, due, of course, not to the contributions being less in this than in the other Courts—members' payments in all the Courts being practically identical—but to the liabilities being relatively higher, and, on referring to the Tabular Summary, it will be observed that the average age of the members was $43\frac{1}{4}$ years, 5 years above the average of the whole Society, a fact which is sufficient to explain the position. The same remarks apply almost equally well to City of Lincoln and Perseverance. In these three Courts the accumulated fund is well above the average. The position of Good Intent, standing 33rd, 44th, and 45th in columns 5, 6, and 7 respectively, appears to be somewhat anomalous, the average age being a little under the general average, and the rate of interest obtained on the total funds high, it is probably to be explained by its high sickness experience and small relative capital. To give another illustration of the use of the Table, it will be observed that Forest of Dean stands 2nd as to value of contributions ratio, due to the comparative youthfulness of the members, 30 years, and 41st as to capital ratio, its accumulated fund being relatively small, and therefore in respect to the assets ratio it occupies the intermediate position of 23rd.

21. For points of a general character which have been already dealt with in connection with the valuation of other Societies the members are referred to the Reports on Friendly Societies of the Government Statist and the Appendices thereto.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 31st January, 1889.

THE VALUATION OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND OF THE BENDIGO DISTRICT, M.U.I.O.O.F.

Letter from the Government Statist to the Corresponding Secretary of the M.U.I.O.O.F., forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 8th February, 1889.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Report of the Actuary to this Department on the condition of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Bendigo District, M.U.I.O.O.F., together with an abstract of the results of his valuation as at the 31st December, 1886, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. I am gratified to perceive that the Actuary reports the existence in the Fund of a substantial surplus of assets above liabilities.

I have, &c.,
H. H. HAYTER,
Government Statist.

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ABSTRACT of the Valuation of the Widows and Orphans' Fund of the Bendigo District, M.U.I.O.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Summary of the Results of the Valuation.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of—			Annual Contributions applicable to Sums payable at Death, Management Expenses, &c.		Value of Contributions.	Value of—		Net Liability.
	Members.	Wives.	Children under 14.	Total.	Average per Member.		Sums payable at Death.	Probable Future Management, &c., Expenses.	
				£ s.	s. d.	£	£	£	£
Sums payable at death of—									
Married and widowed members with children under 14, at £20	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,330	..	..
Married and widowed members with children under 14, at £20, and £5 for each child under 14	822	784	2,432						
Married members without children under 14, on account of wives, at £20	..	..	..	..	..	..	866	..	..
Married members without children under 14, on account of probable future registered children under 14	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,020	..	..
Widowed members (with and) without children under 14, on account of probable future registered second wives and probable future registered children under 14 ..	345	345	..	..	..	..	182	..	..
Unmarried members, on account of probable future registered wives and probable future registered children under 14	30	..	..	..	..	..	253	..	..
Future expenses of management, widows' and orphans' relief, and sundries, taken as £151 per annum	134	..	..	..	..	..	700	..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,020	..
	1,331	1,129	2,432	399 3	6 0	5,136	8,351	3,020	6,235

Valuation Balance-Sheet.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members	8,351	Capital, as per secretary's return	7,989
Value of future management, &c., expenses ...	3,020	Value of members' contributions	5,136
Surplus	1,754		
	£13,125		£13,125

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the Widows and Orphans' Fund, Bendigo District, M.U.I.O.O.F., as at the 31st December, 1886.

Number of—			Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Members.		Rate of Interest.						Liabilities.			Assets.			Surplus.	Capital per Member.	Surplus per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—		
				Average Age.	Average Duration of Membership.	Obtained on Total Funds during preceding Quinquennium.						Assumed in the Valuation.											
Members.	Wives.	Children.		At end of Quinquennium.		1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Average.		Value of Sums payable at Death.	Value of Management, &c., Expenses.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
			s. d.	yrs.	yrs.	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1,331	1,129	2,432	6 0	41	13	6¼	6½	9½	5¾	7½	7	5	8,351	3,020	11,371	5,136	7,989	13,125	1,754	6 0	1 6	9 0	14 1	23 1

The Number of Members and Children, and Number of Children to each Member having Registered Children under 14 years of age, in the Widows and Orphans' Fund, Bendigo District, M.U.I.O.O.F., on the 31st December, 1886.

Age of Members.	Number of Members.						Number of Children of the Age—														Number of Children to each Member with Children.
	Married.		Widowed.				Under 1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	otal.	
	With Children under 14.	Without Children under 14.	With Children under 14.	Without Children under 14.	Unmarried.	Total.															
Under 20	..	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20–25	12	12	..	..	39	63	4	8	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	1·3
25–30	93	34	1	..	42	170	34	30	42	29	15	8	7	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	170	1·8
30–35	129	26	1	..	24	180	24	37	38	43	34	37	36	30	22	14	9	9	5	1	339	2·6
35–40	162	19	2	..	7	190	24	34	52	44	45	46	44	53	49	43	37	43	25	28	567	3·5
40–45	130	30	4	4	8	176	17	30	35	41	27	46	37	40	52	35	39	50	40	43	532	4·0
45–50	105	41	2	5	5	158	10	13	17	23	20	28	20	42	27	33	39	30	36	32	370	3·5
50–55	102	71	18	9	3	203	8	11	13	14	14	17	13	26	20	34	33	45	31	38	317	2·5
55–60	46	77	7	7	2	139	2	1	4	4	3	6	3	5	8	6	16	12	20	19	109	2·1
60–65	5	31	3	4	..	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	4	1	1	12	1·5
65 and over	..	4	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	784	345	38	30	134	1,331	123	164	204	199	158	188	160	202	179	169	173	193	158	162	2,432	2·9

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. Established in the year 1857.

2. Situated in Sandhurst.

3. The average age, on the 31st December, 1886, of the married and widowed members with children under 14 years of age was 40¼ years; of the married members without children under 14, 46¼ years; of the widowed members without children under 14, 52½ years; of the unmarried members, 29 years; and of all the members taken in the aggregate, 41 years.

4. The rate of mortality taken as the basis of the Valuation Tables employed was that of the Carlisle Table.

5. The surplus shown I believe to be due to adequate contributions to provide the benefits, and the possession of a large capital.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 8th February, 1889.

ADDENDUM BY THE ACTUARY TO HIS REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND OF THE BENDIGO DISTRICT M.U.I.O.O.F.

The benefits given in this Fund are—Bounties to the widow on the death of a member, £20, with £5 for each registered child under 14 years of age; when a widower dies leaving one or more children under 14 years of age the bounty of £20 is paid to them in addition to the £5 payable to each.

2. The contributions are as follow:—Entrance fees, 18–25 years of age, 2s.; 25–30, 3s.; 30–33, 5s.; 33–36, 8s.; 36 and over, 8s., with 2s. 6d. extra for every year above 36; registration fee, for wife 2s., for each child 1s.; contribution, 1s. 6d. a quarter per member, independent of his age at entry.

3. The funds, receipts, and expenditure during the quinquennium, 1882–86, were as under:—

Funds, 1st January, 1882			£6,762 17 6
Receipts, 1882–86:—			
Contributions	£2,100 15 0		
Levies, fees, &c.	12 6 6		
Interest	2,607 2 9		
		4,720 4 3	
Expenditure, 1882–86:—			
Bounties to widows and children	£2,685 0 0		
Widows' and orphans' relief	130 0 0		
Management	401 2 6		
Sundries	277 16 6		
		3,493 19 0	
Increase, 1882–86			1,226 5 3
Funds, 31st December, 1886			£7,989 2 9

4. The number of members married, widowed, and unmarried in the Fund at the end of 1886, together with the number of registered children, are given in the Table forwarded with the Valuation Report. The proportions which such members respectively bear to the whole membership of 1,331 are as follow:—

	Per cent.	Per cent.
Members—Married, with children under 14	58·90	84·82
„ „ without „ „	25·92	
„ Widowed with „ „	2·86	5·11
„ „ without „ „	2·25	
„ Unmarried	10·07	10·07
Total	100	100
Members—Unmarried	10·07	38·24
„ Married and widowed without children under 14	28·17	
„ Married and widowed with children under 14	61·76	61·76
Total	100	100

5. The Secretary informs me that the Fund does not pay the bounty on the death of an unmarried member, nor on that of a widower leaving no children under 14; allowance has been made in the valuation for the effect of these contingencies in reducing the liabilities. The liability on account of probable future children of the members generally, and in respect to future wives of the widowed and unmarried, has been set down at a sum in each case which, in my opinion, fairly represents the present value of the prospective claims.

6. The sum expended during the five years 1882–86 for widows' and orphans' relief, management, and sundry expenses has been taken as the basis of the amount entered in the balance-sheet as equivalent to the probable future expenditure for such purposes.

7. The following is the Valuation Balance-Sheet:—

VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

Liabilities.

Value of benefits	£8,351
Value of future widows' and orphans' reliefs, management, &c., expenses ...	3,020
Total	£11,371

Assets.

Value of contributions	£5,136
Capital	7,989
Total	13,125
Surplus	£1,754

8. In this Fund the sums expended for bounties, reliefs, and management are all paid out of one fund, contrary to the Friendly Societies Act, section 13, subsection iii. I recommend that the fund from which the assurance benefits, *i.e.*, bounties to widows and orphans under By-law No. 14, are paid, be kept entirely separate and distinct from that used for payment of reliefs under By-law No. 22 and for management, that an Incidental and Management Fund, as provided by By-law No. 22, be formed, whence claims of this latter class shall in future be met. Mixing up with the Assurance Fund, the future income and outgo whereof are capable of being calculated on the principle of average, other receipts and expenditure which cannot be so calculated, is detrimental to the interests of a society, more especially at a valuation. The sum expended in any one year for relief, management, &c., being dependent altogether on the will of the managing committee for the time being, from the history of the past but a very vague idea can be obtained of the course likely to be adopted in the future; the expenditure in the future may be very much more, or very much less, than it was in the past, so that great care is necessary that expenditure of that class shall not be under-estimated at a valuation.

9. With regard to the surplus, I may point out that section 16 of the Friendly Societies Act confers upon a society power to introduce into its rules a provision enabling it to dispose for the benefit of the members of a proportion of its surplus accumulation remaining after assurance liabilities have been provided for. This action has, I may say, been taken advantage of by the Widows and Orphans' Institution, Port Phillip District, M.U.I.O.O.F., the I.O.O.F. Society, and some other societies. Were such a law registered by this Fund, two-thirds, or say £1,000, of the surplus shown in this valuation could, in my opinion, be safely appropriated to the use and benefit of existing members (duration of membership being, of course, taken into account in the apportionment), assuming that the annual expenditure for management, &c., be kept well within the average of the preceding quinquennium.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 8th February, 1889.

THE SECOND VALUATION OF THE ORDER OF ST. ANDREW, SCOTTISH CONSTITUTION.

Letter from the Government Statist to the Grand Secretary, forwarding Results of the Actuary's Valuation.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1889.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Report of the Actuary to this Department on the condition of the O.St.A.,S.C., together with an abstract of the results of his valuation as at the 31st December, 1887, in accordance with the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act 1877.

2. There is, I perceive, a slight improvement in the position of the society at the end of 1887 compared with that of 1882, but the assets come still, I regret to say, very far short of the liabilities.

3. The Actuary points out that a considerable improvement would be at once effected by a re-division of members' present contributions. I would suggest that steps be immediately taken in this direction as recommended.

I have, &c.,

H. H. HAYTER,
Government Statist.

Robert Mitchell, Esq., G.S., O.St.A.,S.C.,
Walker-street, Castlemaine.

ABSTRACT of the Valuation of the O.St.A., S.C.,

Summary of the Results of the Valuation.

Nature of Benefits.	Number of Benefits.	Annual Contributions applicable to Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Value of Contributions.		Value of Sick and Funeral Benefits.		Net Liability.
		Total.	Average per Member.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	As derived from the Table.	As Adjusted.	
		£	s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
Sick allowances payable until the 70th year—								
During first six months' sickness, at 20s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	5,925		
During second six months' sickness, at 10s. per week	..	..	..	..	..	699		
After second six months' sickness, at 5s. per week	308	343·56	21 8	4,201	4,109	965	10,947	
Permanent allowances after the 70th year of £6 per annum, taken as equivalent to future sick claims	..	..	..	..	..	3,710		
Sums payable at death of members, at £20 ..	..	123·20	8 0	1,572	1,528	3,049	3,514	
„ „ „ wives, at £10 ..	188					608		
„ „ „ probable future registered wives	..	..	..	..	..	..	77	
Total	496	466·76	29 8	5,773	5,637	14,956	14,538	8,901

TABULAR SUMMARY of the Valuation of the O.St.A., S.C.,

No.	Branch.	Where Situated.	When Established.	No. of Members.	No. of Wives.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Average Age.		Average Duration of Membership.	Secessions.		Experience during Quinquennium greater (+) or less (−) than, or equal to (=), that of the M.U., England, 1866–70.			Rate of Interest.	
							Beginning of Quinquennium.	End of Quinquennium.		Average Age.	Average Duration of Membership.	Mortality.	Sickness.	Secessions.	Realised during Quinquennium.	Assumed in the Valuation.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
						s. d.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	%	%	%	%	%
1	Bendigo	Sandhurst ...	1866	96	55	21 8	43¾	45¼	12½	30¾	5¾	+16	−35	+177	5	4½
2	Ballarat	Ballarat ...	1870	88	60	„	46¾	52¾	10¾	37¼	7	−42	−53	+131	5	4½
3	Geelong	Geelong ...	1870	47	31	„	42	46½	11½	32½	5¾	−35	−12	+278	4¼	3½
4	Inglewood	Inglewood ...	1871	15	5	„	43½	39¼	8	37¼	6½	...	−37	+279	2¼	3
5	Caledonia	Castlemaine ...	1871	34	23	„	46¾	49¾	13¾	40	6½	+53	−22	+ 85	4¾	4
6	Pride of Scotia ...	Melbourne ...	1874	28	14	„	49¼	45	7¾	23½	4½	−17	−49	+ 8	4¼	4
	Total Sick Funds			308	188	21 8	45½	47¾	11¼	33¼	6	−13	−37	+173	4¼	...
	Grand Lodge Funeral Fund			308	188	8 0	45½	47¾	11¼	33¼	6	−13	−37	+173	4½	4
	The whole Society			308	188	29 8	45½	47¾	11¼	33¼	6	−13	−37	+173	4¼	...
	Quinquennial Comparison :—															
	Valuation of 31st December, 1882			322	225	29 8	...	45½	8½	39	5½	=	−42	+388	2½	...
	Valuation of 31st December, 1887			308	188	29 8	...	47¾	11¼	33¼	6	−13	−37	+173	4¼	...
	(*a*) Increase			...	...	...	...	2¼	2¾	...	½	...	5	...	1¾	...
	(*b*) Decrease			14	37	...	...	...	...	5¾	...	13	...	215	...	...

TABLE showing the Relative Position of the Lodges of the O. St. A., S.C., as at the 31st December, and Ratio of Contributions, Capital,

Relative Position.	Lodge.	1 Rate of Interest per Annum Realised.	Lodge.	2 Average Age.	Lodge.	3 Sickness—Actual Rate to the Expected Rate being taken as 100.	Lodge.
		%		Yrs.		Wks.	
1	Bendigo	5	Inglewood	39¼	Ballarat	47	Caledonia ... ...
2	Ballarat	5	Pride of Scotia ...	45	Pride of Scotia ...	51	Ballarat ... ...
3	Caledonia	4¾	Bendigo	45¼	Inglewood	63	Inglewood ... ...
4	Geelong	4¼	Geelong	46½	Bendigo	65	Bendigo ... ...
5	Pride of Scotia ...	4¼	Caledonia	49¾	Caledonia	78	Pride of Scotia ...
6	Inglewood	2¼	Ballarat	52¾	Geelong	88	Geelong ... ...

as at the 31st December, 1887.

WHOLE SOCIETY.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	14,461	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	3,497
Value of sums payable at death of probable future registered wives	77	Value of members' contributions	5,637
		Deficiency	5,404
	£14,538		£14,538

TOTAL OF LODGE SICK FUNDS.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members	10,947	Capital, as per secretaries' returns	2,481
		Value of members' contributions	4,109
		Deficiency...	4,357
	£10,947		£10,947

GRAND LODGE FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	ASSETS.	£
Value of benefits assured to members and wives ...	3,514	Capital, as per secretary's return	1,016
" " " probable future registered wives ...	77	Value of members' contributions	1,528
		Deficiency...	1,047
	£3,591		£3,591

as at the 31st December, 1887.

Liabilities.			Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio to Liabilities per £ of the—			No.
Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Sums Payable at Death.	Total.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	1
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
3,100	...	...	1,276	807	2,083	1,017	8 8	10 12	8 3	5 3	13 6	1
3,221	...	...	1,030	815	1,845	1,376	9 5	15 13	6 5	5 1	11 6	2
1,777	...	...	682	218	900	877	4 13	18 13	7 8	2 6	10 2	3
581	...	...	274	128	402	179	8 11	11 19	9 5	4 5	13 10	4
1,284	...	...	441	345	786	498	10 3	14 13	6 10	5 5	12 3	5
984	...	...	406	168	574	410	6 0	14 13	8 3	3 5	11 8	6
10,947	...	...	4,109	2,481	6,590	4,357	8 1	14 3	7 6	4 6	12 0	
...	3,591	...	1,528	1,016	2,544	1,047	3 6	3 8	8 6	5 8	14 2	
10,947	3,591	14,538	5,637	3,497	9,134	5,404	11 7	17 11	7 9	4 10	12 7	
12,022	3,675	15,697	6,352	2,797	9,149	6,548	8 14	20 7	8 1	3 7	11 8	1882
10,947	3,591	14,538	5,637	3,497	9,134	5,404	11 7	17 11	7 9	4 10	12 7	1887
...	...	...	...	700	...	...	2 13	...	...	1 3	0 11	(*a*)
1,075	84	1,159	715	...	15	1,144	...	2 16	0 4	...	...	(*b*)

1887, in Respect of Rate of Interest, Average Age, Sickness Experience, Capital per Member, and Assets to Liabilities in the £.

4		5		6		7	
Capital per Member.	Lodge.	Ratio of Value of Contributions to Liabilities per £.	Lodge.	Ratio of Capital to Liabilities per £.	Lodge.	Ratio of Assets to Liabilities per £.	Relative Position.
s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
10 3	Inglewood	9 5	Caledonia	5 5	Inglewood	13 10	1
9 5	Bendigo	8 3	Bendigo	5 3	Bendigo	13 6	2
8 11	Pride of Scotia	8 3	Ballarat	5 1	Caledonia	12 3	3
8 8	Geelong	7 8	Inglewood	4 5	Pride of Scotia	11 8	4
6 0	Caledonia	6 10	Pride of Scotia	3 5	Ballarat	11 6	5
4 13	Ballarat	6 5	Geelong	2 6	Geelong	10 2	6

REPORT OF THE ACTUARY.

1. I have taken Ratcliffe's Experience of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows in England, 1866–70, as the basis of the Valuation Tables employed.

2. The results obtained in the first instance from the Valuation Tables have been modified, so as to approximate as closely as was considered expedient to the quantities which would have been brought out had such Tables been originally based on the quinquennial experience of the members of the Branches.

3. The value of the liabilities on account of the probable sickness after 70 years of age has been thus estimated :—The sum equivalent, at the date of the valuation, to an allowance of £6 per annum for life when 70 years of age has been set down to the account of each member, in lieu of the pay then claimable in case of sickness.

4. The values of the prospective income and outgo on account of members owing more that thirteen weeks' contributions have been excluded from the valuation.

5. The deficiency shown I believe to be due to the inadequacy of the contributions to provide the benefits.

6. In order to *improve* the position of the Funds, I recommend that two-thirds of the contributions (General Law No. 52) be placed to the credit of the Sick *and* Funeral Fund of each Lodge, whereof one-fifth is to be paid quarterly to the Funeral Fund of the Grand Lodge ; in other words, of the 15d. a week, 8d. to go to the Sick Fund, 2d. to the Funeral Fund, and 5d. (with levy) to the Medical and Management Fund. Members, of course, *ought* to pay higher contributions than 1s. 3d. per week ; I confine myself, however, now to indicating how the present payments should be divided so as to place the funds in a better position. As an alternative plan of division, but obviously less advantageous to the Sick Fund, 7d. a week may be placed to the credit of the Sick Fund, 2d. to the Funeral Fund (that is 9d. a week to the Sick *and* Funeral Fund), and 6d. a week to the Medical and Management Fund.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1889.

ADDENDUM BY THE ACTUARY TO HIS REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF THE ORDER OF ST. ANDREW, SCOTTISH CONSTITUTION, FRIENDLY SOCIETY, AS AT THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1887.

This being the second occasion upon which a valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Society has been effected, an opportunity is given of ascertaining not only its financial position at the end of 1887, but also the progress, if any, it has made during the five years that have elapsed since the preceding investigation.

2. The benefits afforded to members are the same as they were in 1882. Medical attendance and medicine to a member, his wife, and children under 18; sick relief at the rate of 20s., 10s., and 5s. per week for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd six months and subsequent sickness; burial money, £20 on the death of a member, £10 on the death of a wife.

3. This being one of the nine Societies, with branches, whose contributions were shown on valuation to be inadequate, but which have made no increase therein, the contributions payable by members and the proportion thereof assigned to the several funds were the same in 1887 as they were in 1882, being as under :—

CONTRIBUTIONS, 1882 AND 1887.

Age at Entry.	Entrance Fee.			Annual Contribution.			
	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.
	s.	*s.*	*s.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s.*
18–25	10	10	...				
25–30	30	20	10				
30–35	40	20	20	65	35 4	21 8	8
35–39	50	20	30				
39–42	80	20	60				
42–45	100	20	80				

4. The sum of £2 is payable on the registration of the second wife. Law No. 52 provides that every member shall contribute to the funds 15d. per week, whereof one-third is to be appropriated to the Lodge Sick Fund and the remainder to the Incidental Fund; by Law No. 26, 2s. a quarter per member is contributed by each Lodge to the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund; by Law 51, the Sick Fund is to be used for paying sick relief only, and the levies to the Grand Lodge for all purposes are to be paid out of the Incidental Funds of the Lodges; it therefore follows that the 2s. a quarter payable to the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund is taken from the 10d., two-thirds of each member's weekly contribution assigned to the Incidental Fund, and the members' payments are divided, as shown in the above Table, 5d. a week to the Sick Fund, $1\frac{1}{13}$d. a week to the Funeral Fund, and $8\frac{2}{13}$d. a week to the Incidental Fund.

5. The manner in which members' payments are divided makes it necessary that the sickness claims should be valued in the Lodges, and the funeral claims in the Grand Lodge treated as a distinct branch comprising the entire membership.

6. The results of the valuation of the Sick Funds of the Lodges, taken in the aggregate in 1882 and 1887, are given in the subjoined Table :—

SICK FUNDS—VALUATION OF 1882 AND 1887.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick Pay.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1882	322	21 8	12,022	4,687	1,997	6,684	5,338	6 4	16 12	7 10	3 3	11 1
1887	308	21 8	10,947	4,109	2,481	6,590	4,357	8 1	14 3	7 6	4 6	12 0
Increase ...	...	...	...	...	484	...	...	1 17	...	...	1 3	0 11
Decrease ...	14	...	1,075	578	...	94	981	...	2 9	0 4	...	...

7. It will be noticed that the liabilities have decreased in the present compared with the preceding valuation; this is due to the decrease in the membership, notwithstanding the advance in the age, and to the improvement in the returns received from investments. The capital has increased by £1 17s. per member, and the position of these Funds has improved by 11d. in the £ relatively to the liabilities. This appears to be entirely due to the greater amount of interest received generally during the quinquennium 1883–1887 compared with that of 1878–1882.

8. The following Table presents a statement of the financial position of the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund in 1882 and 1887 :—

FUNERAL FUND.—VALUATION OF 1882 AND 1887.

The Valuation of—	No of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1882	322	8 0	3,675	1,665	800	2,465	1,210	2 10	3 15	9 1	4 4	13 5
1887	308	8 0	3,591	1,528	1,016	2,544	1,047	3 6	3 8	8 6	5 8	14 2
Increase ...	...	...	...	...	216	79	...	0 16	...	...	1 4	0 9
Decrease ...	14	...	84	137	...	...	163	...	0 7	0 7	...	...

9. In the case of the Funeral Fund there is, it will be observed, an advance in the assets, compared with the liabilities, of 9d. in the £. The results of the valuation in 1882 and 1887 of the Sick Funds of the Lodges and the Funeral Fund of the Grand Lodge, taken together, are as under :—

SICK AND FUNERAL FUNDS.—VALUATION OF 1882 AND 1887.

The Valuation of—	No. of Members.	Average Annual Contribution per Member.	Liabilities.	Assets.			Deficiency.	Capital per Member.	Deficiency per Member.	Ratio per £ to Liabilities of the—		
			Value of Sick and Funeral Claims.	Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Total.				Value of Contributions.	Capital.	Assets.
		s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.	£ s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1882	322	29 8	15,697	6,352	2,797	9,149	6,548	8 14	20 7	8 1	3 7	11 8
1887	308	29 8	14,538	5,637	3,497	9,134	5,404	11 7	17 11	7 9	4 10	12 7
Increase ...	...	...	...	...	700	...	...	2 13	...	...	1 3	0 11
Decrease ...	14	...	1,159	715	...	15	1,144	...	2 16	0 4	...	...

10. On comparing the position in 1887 and 1882 of the Sick and Funeral Funds, taken in the aggregate, there is seen to be an advance of the assets on the liabilities to the extent of 11d. in the £. This is due, as I have before stated, to the greater attention paid to the investment business of the Society.

11. The progress of the several Funds of the Society during the quinquennium is shown in the subjoined Table :—

QUINQUENNIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT, 1883–1887.

	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Medical and Management Fund.	Total Funds.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Funds, 1st Jan., 1883 ...	2,070 10 7	800 5 5	2,870 16 0	342 18 4	3,213 14 4
Receipts, 1883–87.					
Contributions	1,721 8 9	655 16 0	2,377 4 9	2,818 12 0	5,195 16 9
Levies	...	...	...	64 17 9	64 17 9
Entrance fees, &c. ...	42 13 4	...	42 13 4	76 13 8	119 7 0
Interest	544 6 1	200 4 7	744 10 8	74 17 9	819 8 5
Sundries	191 17 11	...	191 17 11	364 6 11	556 4 10
Total	2,500 6 1	856 0 7	3,356 6 8	3,399 8 1	6,755 14 9
Expenditure, 1883–1887.					
Sick pay	1,883 6 3	...	1,883 6 3	...	1,883 6 3
Funeral claims ...	...	640 0 0	640 0 0	...	640 0 0
Medical attendance and medicine	...	...	...	1,745 6 6	1,745 6 6
Management	...	...	...	1,243 19 5	1,243 19 5
Sundries	207 12 10	...	207 12 10	165 5 8	372 18 6
Total	2,090 19 1	640 0 0	2,730 19 1	3,154 11 7	5,885 10 8
Increase, 1883–1887 ...	409 7 0	216 0 7	625 7 7	244 16 6	870 4 1
Funds, 31st Dec., 1887 ...	2,479 17 7	1,016 6 0	3,496 3 7	587 14 10	4,083 18 5

12. These figures show that 20 per cent. per annum of the income during the quinquennium, excluding sundries, was expended in managing the business of the Grand Lodge and the Lodges, and 23 per cent. of the income from members' contributions ; the sum expended as sick pay was equal to 35 per cent. of the income from contributions, funeral claims 12 per cent., and medical attendance and medicine 32½ per cent.

EVAN F. OWEN,
Actuary under Friendly Societies Act 1877.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1889.

THE VALUATION OF THE MANCHESTER UNITY INSURANCE ASSOCIATION LIFE BRANCH FOR THE TRIENNIUM ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Letter from the Actuary and Secretary of the Society to the Government Statist, forwarding Results of the Valuation.

M.U. Hall, Swanston-street, Melbourne,
3rd June, 1889.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith the Triennial Report and Valuation Balance-sheet, as prepared by myself, for the period ending the 30th September, 1888.

2. The valuations of "Sums assured" and of "Office yearly premiums" have been calculated on the 5 per cent. tables kindly furnished me by your Actuary some time since.

I have, &c.,

A. ELLIS,
Actuary and Secretary.

The Government Statist, Melbourne.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Period commencing 1st October, 1885, and ending 30th September, 1888.

RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.
Balance at last valuation, 1885	862 16 9
Premiums paid	243 5 1
Interest received	132 0 7
	£1,238 2 5

EXPENDITURE.		£ s. d.
Commission		23 14 0
Postages, &c.		2 3 0
Printing, &c.		6 17 6
Payment to representatives of a late brother ...		180 0 0
Balances—		
Loans on mortgage ...	£550 0 0	
„ policies ...	40 0 0	
Cash in Bank	435 7 11	
		1,025 7 11
		£1,238 2 5

PARTICULARS OF THE TRIENNIAL VALUATION FOR THE THREE YEARS, FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1885, TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Number of Policies.	Office Yearly Premiums.	Sums Assured and Bonuses.	Value of—			Net Liability.
			Sums Assured and Bonuses.	Future Management Expenses.	Office Yearly Premiums.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
26	85 7 9	2,760 0 0 554 16 0	1,160 8 5 226 0 7	220 0 0	1,017 14 1	588 14 11
26	85 7 9	3,314 16 0	1,386 9 0	220 0 0	1,017 14 1	588 14 11

VALUATION BALANCE-SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£ s. d.	ASSETS.	£ s. d.
Value of sums assured	1,386 9 0	Value of office premiums	1,017 14 1
Value of future management expenses ...	220 0 0	Capital on hand	1,025 7 11
Surplus	436 13 0		
	£2,043 2 0		£2,043 2 0

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3rd June, 1889.

TABLE showing the ENTRANCE FEES and ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS paid by Members, the manner registered under the Friendly Societies Act 1877,

Society.	Age at Entry.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.											
		Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
1. M.U.I.O.O.F. ..	16–20 20–25 25–30 30–33 33–36	s. d. 10 6 21 0	s. d. 10 6 21 0	..	..	s. d. 52 0 56 4 60 8 69 4 73 8 with levies if necessary.	s. d. 21 8 21 8 21 8 21 8 21 8	s. d. 30 4 34 8 39 0 47 8 52 0		s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—Registration fee as prescribed by district.	..	s. d. 42 0	s. d. 10 6
No. of Rule ..	..	110	110	..	..	110B	110B	110B		116	46x	..	82	82
2. G.U.O.O.F. ..	16–20 20–21 21–25 25–28 28–30 30–32 32–34 34–35 35–36 36–38 38–39 39–40	s. 5 10 10 15 20 30 30 30 40 40 50 50	s. 2 4 4 6 8 12 12 12 16 16 20 20	s. d. 0 6 3 6 3 0 5 6 8 6 14 0 13 6 13 0 19 0 18 6 24 0 23 6	s. d. 2 6 2 6 3 0 3 6 3 6 4 0 4 6 5 0 5 0 5 6 6 0 6 6	s. d. 52 0 60 8 69 4 78 0 86 8	s. d. 20 $9^{3}/_{5}$ 24 $3^{1}/_{5}$ 27 $8^{4}/_{5}$ 31 $2^{2}/_{5}$ 34 8	s. d. 27 $2^{2}/_{5}$ 32 $4^{4}/_{5}$ 37 $7^{1}/_{5}$ 42 $9^{3}/_{5}$ 48 0	s. 4 4 4 4 4	From lodge in same district, 1s. Another district, 1s. 6d. "Beyond seas," 2s. 6d. to 15os., according to age.	*Wife*—4s. to 12s., according to age. *Second wife*—24s. to 32s., according to age. *Child*—Under 8 years of age, 2s. 6d.; age 8 to 14, 2s.	..	s. d. 10 6	s. d. 12 0
No. of Rule ..	..	89	98	98	64	98	98	98	65	31, 38	64	..	91	91
3. I.O.O.F. ..	16–20 20–25 25–28 28–29 29–30 30–31 31–32 32–33 33–34 34–35 35–36 36–37 37–38 38–39 39–40	s. d. 2 6 5 0 7 6 10 0 22 6 25 0 27 6 30 0 32 6 35 0 37 6 82 6 127 6 172 6 217 6	s. d. 2 6 5 0 7 6 10 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0 20 0	s. d. 2 6 5 0 7 6 10 0 12 6 15 0 17 6 62 6 107 6 152 6 197 6	.. ..	s. 65	s. d. 32 6	s. d. 24 6	s. 8	s. d. 2 6 If from another colony— s. d. 16–30 2 6 30–35 3 6 35–40 4 6 40 and over 5s. 6d.	*Wife*— Age. s. d. 16–25 0 6 25–30 1 0 30–34 1 6 34–36 2 0 *Second Wife*—42s.	*Widow*— s. 8	s. 20	s. 10
No. of Rule ..	..	111	111	111	..	111	111, 114	111, 114	114	111	111	125	111	111

DIX B.

of their appropriation between the several Funds, and the BENEFITS afforded to Members in the Societies Victoria, compiled from the Rules of the Societies.

BENEFITS.														
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	*s. d.* 13 4	*s.* 10	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's widow and children.	Months. 6	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	Members who joined before the 1st July, 1885, pay at all ages the contributions set down for ages 16 to 20 in this table, with levies to the Medical and Management Fund if necessary. From £11 4*s.*, at age 25, to £40, at ages over 70, may be granted to a member permanently incapacitated, in lieu of all future sick and funeral claims. The funeral claims are discharged by the districts, which are reimbursed by *pro ratâ* levies on the Lodges. Lodges may open juvenile branches for youths from 8 to 16 years of age.
46III	46III	46III	..	46x	46x	46x	..	..	3, 126f	101	101	46v	111	109, 111A, 70, 47.
s. 20	*s.* 15	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	£ 2 Under 14 years of age.	Member, wife, and children under 16; also unmarried daughters over 16, on payment of fees. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12 and 24	A sum equal to 16 weeks' contributions.	Members who joined before the 3rd July, 1884, pay at all ages the contributions set down for ages 16 to 25 in this table. £2 is paid on the death of each child under 14 of a deceased member, if the payments to the Funeral Fund are continued. When the District Funeral Fund is under £150, a levy is imposed on the members.
99	99	99	..	67	67	64	6	67	95, 91	97	67	99	96	98, 65, 67, 69
s. 20	*s. d.* 12 6	*s.* 5 during pleasure of Lodge.	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children.	Months. 6	Months. 6	Months. 6	*s.* 15	When a Lodge is unable to meet its sickness claims, a sum may be voted by the Grand Lodge, or a levy imposed on all the other Lodges. When a surplus is shown on an actuarial valuation to exist in the Gd. Lodge Funeral Fund, a portion of such surplus, not exceeding one-half, may be appropriated, in accordance with the F. S. Act, section xvi., in the interests of the Order, as may be determined by the Authorities thereof.
116	116	116	..	123	123	123	125	..	126, 129	116	54	118	131	56, 57

TABLE showing the ENTRANCE FEES and ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS paid by Members, the manner registered under the Friendly Societies Act 1877,

Society.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.													
	Age at Entry.	Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
4. U.A.O.D. ..	16-20	s. d. 10 6	s. d. 7 6	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 2 6	s.	s.	s.	s.	2s. 6d.; if from outside Victoria, 5s.	*Second Wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second Wife*—12s. *Widow*—10s.	s. d. 10 6	s. 10
	20-25	15 0	7 6	5 0	2 6	60	32	22	6					
	25-30	20 0	7 6	10 0	2 6									
	30-35	30 0	7 6	20 0	2 6									
	35-40	60 0	7 6	50 0	2 6	73	32	35	6					
No. of Rule ..	..	87	93	87, 93	44	91	93	93, 44	44	127, 128	50	50, 46	89	89
5. Ballarat District, A.O.F.	18-25	s. d. 21 0	..	s. d. 18 6	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 60 8	s. d. 24 3 1/5	s. d. 32 4 4/5	s. 4	s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—42s. *Wife over* 40—42s.	..	s. 42	..
	25-28	27 6	..	25 0	2 6									
	28-30	27 6	..	25 0	2 6	65 0	26 0	35 0						
	30-35	35 0	..	32 6	2 6									
	35-38	45 0	..	42 6	2 6									
	38-40	70 0	..	67 6	2 6	69 4	27 8 4/5	37 7 1/5						
	40 and over	70 0 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	188, 189	..	227	219	191	229	227	219	271	192	..	180	..
6. Bendigo District, A.O.F.	16-21	s. d. 5 0	..	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 60 8	s. d. 24 3 1/5	s. d. 26 4 4/5	s. 10	2s. 6d.; if from another District, 5s.; both credited to the Sick Fund.	*Wife*— Age s. d. 16-25 2 6 25-30 5 0 30-35 7 6 35-40 12 6 *Second Wife*—20s., in addition to the above.	*Second Wife*—6s. *Widow*—12s.	s. d. 10 6	s. d. 10 6
	21-23	7 6	..	5 0	2 6									
	23-25	10 0	..	7 6	2 6									
	25-27	15 0	..	12 6	2 6	65 0	26 0	29 0	10					
	27-30	20 0	..	17 6	2 6	69 4	27 8 4/5	31 7 1/5	10					
	30-32	30 0	..	27 6	2 6	73 8	29 5 3/5	34 2 2/5	10					
	32-33	40 0	..	37 6	2 6									
	33-35	40 0	..	37 6	2 6	78 0	31 2 2/5	36 9 3/5	10					
	35-36	50 0	..	47 6	2 6									
	36-37	50 0	..	47 6	2 6	86 8	34 8	42 0	10					
	37-38	60 0	..	57 6	2 6									
	38-39	60 0	..	57 6	2 6	95 4	38 1 3/5	47 2 2/5	10					
	39-40	70 0	..	67 6	2 6									
No. of Rule ..	..	21	..	26	27 Dist.	23	26	26	27 Dist.	62	27 Dist.	27 Dist., 33 Dist.	25	25
7. Geelong and Western District, A.O.F.	18-25	s. 5	s. 3	s. d. ..	s. d. 2 0	s. d. 56 0	s. 30	s. d. 22 0	s. 4	s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—42s. *Wife over* 40—42s.	..	s. 21	..
	25-30	25	20	2 6	2 6	62 6	30	26 6	6					
	30-35	30	20	7 0	3 0	69 0	30	33 0	6					
	35-38	40	20	16 0	4 0	75 6	30	37 6	8					
	38-40	65	20	40 0	5 0	82 0	30	44 0	8					
No. of Rule ..	..	89	89	89	63	97, 120	120	118	63	174	98	..	93	..
8. Grenville District, A.O.F.	18-20	s. 15	..	s. d. 12 6	s. d. 2 6	s. d.	s. d.	s.	s.	s. d.	*Second Wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second wife*—12s. *Wife over* 40—5s.	s. 42	s. 10
	20-21	21	..	18 6	2 6									
	21-22	22	..	19 6	2 6									
	22-23	23	..	20 6	2 6									
	23-24	24	..	21 6	2 6	59 7	33 7	22	4	2 6				
	24-25	25	..	22 6	2 6									
	25-26	26	..	23 6	2 6									
	26-27	27	..	24 6	2 6									
	27-28	28	..	25 6	2 6									
	28-29	29	..	26 6	2 6									
	29-30	30	..	27 6	2 6									
	30-31	31	..	28 6	2 6									
	31-32	32	..	29 6	2 6	63 11	37 11	22	4	2 6				
	32-33	33	..	30 6	2 6									
	33-34	34	..	31 6	2 6									
	34-35	35	..	32 6	2 6									
	35-36	36	..	33 6	2 6									
	36-37	37	..	34 6	2 6									
	37-38	38	..	35 6	2 6	68 3	42 3	22	4	2 6				
	38-39	39	..	36 6	2 6									
	39-40	40	..	37 6	2 6									
	40-45	60 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	77, 79	..	123	32	78	123	123	32	141	40	40, 78	71	71

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Benefits.														
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	s. 10	s. 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Reduced sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	s. d. 15 6	Reduced entrance fees are charged on opening night of new Lodge. From £10 8s., at age 25, to £35, at ages over 70, may be granted to a member permanently incapacitated in lieu of all future sick and funeral claims. When the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund is under £200, or the Sick Fund of any Lodge under £1 per member, a levy is imposed.
109A	109A	109A	..	46	46	50	46	..	75, 89A	109	46	109A	94	88, 58A, 44, 93
s. 20	s. 10	s. 10	s. 5	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's widow and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £100, or the funds of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
252	252	252	252	244	244	192	..	..	140, 148	251	244	253	193	221, 236
s. 20	s. 10	s. 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and children, sons under 18, daughters under 21. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 18	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	Members who joined before the 1st July, 1885, pay the following annual contributions:—Age 16–35, 6os. 8d.; age 35–38, 67s. 2d.; age 38–40, 73s. 8d. When the District Funeral Fund is under £200, or the Sick Fund of any Court under £2 per member, a levy is imposed.
32	32	32	..	33 Dist.	33 Dist.	33 Dist.	33 Dist.	..	61, 33 Dist., 25	32	33 Dist.	32	67	24, 28 Dist., 26
s. 20	s. 10	s. 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £100, or the funds of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
101	101	101	..	114	114	98	..	..	74	100	100	102	99	65, 124
s. 20	s. 10	s. 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £50, or the Sick Fund of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
125	125	125	..	38	38	40	..	..	116	125	38	125	81	33, 124

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		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
9. Melbourne District, A.O.F.	18–21	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 5 0	..	..	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s.	2s. 6d.; if from another colony, 5s.; if from Great Britain, 10s.	*Wife*—Under 30, 2s. 6d.; 30–35, 5s.; 35–40, 7s. 6d. *Second wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second Wife*—12s. *Wife over* 40—5s., with 5s. also to the Medical and Management Fund.	s. 21	s. 10
	21–23	7 6	7 6	..	..									
	23–25	10 0	10 0	..	..	56 0	30 0	21 0	5					
	25–27	15 0	15 0	..	..									
	27–30	20 0	20 0	..	..									
	30–31	31 0	31 0	..	..									
	31–32	32 0	32 0	..	..									
	32–33	33 0	33 0	..	..	62 6	33 3	24 3	5					
	33–34	34 0	34 0	..	..									
	34–35	35 0	35 0	..	..									
	35–36	36 0	36 0	..	..									
	36–37	37 0	37 0	..	..	69 0	36 6	27 6	5					
	37–38	38 0	38 0	..	..									
	38–39	39 0	39 0	..	..									
	39–40	40 0	40 0	..	..	82 0	43 0	34 0	5					
	40–45	60 0 with back contributions from 40.	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	75	119	..	..	76, 78	119	119	32	135,136,137	32, 44	44, 76	72	72
10. Ovens and Murray District, A.O.F.	16–17	s. 8	s. d. 4 0	s. d. 1 0	s.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s.	2s. 6d.; if from another colony, 7s. 6d.; if from Great Britain, 10s.	*Second Wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second Wife*—16s. *Wife over* 40—5s.	s. 5 to 21, as prescribed by by-law.	s. 10
	17–18	10	5 0	2 0										
	18–19	12	6 0	3 0										
	19–20	14	7 0	4 0										
	20–21	16	8 0	5 0	3	56 0	30 0	20 0	6					
	21–22	18	9 0	6 0										
	22–23	20	10 0	7 0										
	23–24	22	11 0	8 0										
	24–25	25	12 6	9 6										
	25–30	30	15 0	12 0	3	62 6	36 6	20 0	6					
	30–35	35	17 6	14 6	3	69 0	43 0	20 0	6					
	35–38	50	25 0	22 0	3	75 6	43 0	26 6	6					
	38–40	70	35 0	32 0	3	82 0	43 0	33 0	6					
	40–45	60 with back contributions from 40.	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	79, 79A, 81	126	126	35	80, 80A, 82	126, 82	126, 126A	35	146, 147, 148	43	43, 80	73	73
11. Portland District, A.O.F.	16–21	s. d. 7 6	..	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 2 6	s. d.	s.	s. d.	s.	2s. 6d.; if from another colony, 5s.; if from Great Britain or elsewhere, 10s.	*Wife*—Age 16–30 2 6; 30–35 5 0; 35–45 7 6. *Second Wife*—10s.	*Second Wife*—12s. *Wife over* 40—5s. *Widow*—6s.	s. 21	..
	21–25	12 0	..	9 6	2 6	56 0	30	22 0	4					
	25–27	13 6	..	11 0	2 6									
	27–30	20 0	..	17 6	2 6									
	30–31	31 0	..	28 6	2 6									
	31–32	32 0	..	29 6	2 6									
	32–33	33 0	..	30 6	2 6	69 0	30	35 0	4					
	33–34	34 0	..	31 6	2 6									
	34–35	35 0	..	32 6	2 6									
	35–36	36 0	..	33 6	2 6									
	36–37	37 0	..	34 6	2 6	75 6	30	41 6	4					
	37–38	38 0	..	35 6	2 6									
	38–39	39 0	..	36 6	2 6									
	39–40	40 c	..	37 6	2 6	88 6	30	54 6	4					
	40–45	60 0 with back contributions from 40.	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	76, 78	..	124	33	77, 79	124	124	33	143, 144, 145	33, 40	40, 77, 40A	70	..

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Benefits.														Remarks.
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First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Honorary member over 45, and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £1,000, or the Sick Fund of any Court under 20s. a member, a levy is imposed. When the Medical and Management Fund of any Court equals 7s. 6d. a member or over, the Court has power to place all entrance fees and interest to the Sick Fund.
122	122	122	..	42	42	44	..	..	84, 114, 72A	122	42	122	79	32A, 120, 119A
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £100, or the Sick Fund of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
128	128	128	..	143	143	143	..	..	119, 120, 73	128	41	128	83	36, 127
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife and children under 18. Member's widow and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months	Months. 12	A sum equal to 16 weeks' contributions.	Members who joined before the 1st July, 1887, pay the following annual contributions:—Age, 16–30, 56s.; 30–35, 62s. 6d.; 35–38, 69s.; 38–45, 82s. When the District Funeral Fund is under £100, or the Sick Fund of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
127	127	127	..	38	38	40	40A	..	117, 141	127	38	127	80	77, 34, 125

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Society.	Age at Entry.	Entrance Fees and Contributions. Member's Entrance Fee. Total.	Appropriated to the— Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Member's Annual Contribution. Total.	Appropriated to the— Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund. Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Honorary Member—To the Management Fund. Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
12. Warrnambool District, A.O.F.	18–20	s. 15	s. d. 7 6	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 2 6	s. d.	s.	s. d.	s.	2s. 6d.; if from another district, 5s.	*Second Wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second Wife*—12s. *Wife over 40*—5s.	s. 21	..
	20–21	21	10 6	8 0	2 6									
	21–22	22	11 0	8 6	2 6									
	22–23	23	11 6	9 0	2 6									
	23–24	24	12 0	9 6	2 6									
	24–25	25	12 6	10 0	2 6	56 0	30	22 0	4					
	25–26	26	13 0	10 6	2 6									
	26–27	27	13 6	11 0	2 6									
	27–28	28	14 0	11 6	2 6									
	28–29	29	14 6	12 0	2 6									
	29–30	30	15 0	12 6	2 6									
	30–31	31	15 6	13 0	2 6									
	31–32	32	16 0	13 6	2 6									
	32–33	33	16 6	14 0	2 6	62 6	30	28 6	4					
	33–34	34	17 0	14 6	2 6									
	34–35	35	17 6	15 0	2 6									
	35–36	36	18 0	15 6	2 6									
	36–37	37	18 6	16 0	2 6									
	37–38	38	19 0	16 6	2 6	69 0	30	35 0	4					
	38–39	39	19 6	17 0	2 6									
	39–40	40	20 0	17 6	2 6									
	40–45	60 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	73, 75	120	120	32	74, 120	120	120	32	139, 140	39	39, 74	69	..
13. Court Unity, A.O.F.	18–21	s. d. 7 6	s. d. 7 6	s. d. ..	s. d. ..	s. d. 60 8	s. d. 30 4		s. d. 30 4	s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—84s. *Wife over 35*—105s.	..	s. d. 10 6	s. ..
	21–23					62 10	30 4		32 6					
	23–25					65 0	30 4		34 8					
	25–27					67 2	30 4		36 10					
	27–29					69 4	30 4		39 0					
	29–30	10 0	10 0	..	..	71 6	30 4		41 2					
	30–32					73 8	30 4		43 4					
	32–33					75 10	30 4		45 6					
	33–35					80 2	30 4		49 10					
No. of Rule ..	..	100	128	..	..	101	101		101	156	102	..	94	..
14. Court Freedom, A.O.F.	18–19	s. d. 7 6	s. d. 7 6	..	..	s. d. 40 3½	s. 4		s. d. 28 6½	s. d. 7 9	s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—42s. *Wife over 40*—42s.	..	s. 21	s. 10
	19–20					41 4½	4		29 6½	7 10				
	20–21					42 5½	4		30 5½	8 0				
	21–22					43 6½	4		31 3½	8 3				
	22–23	10 0	10 0	..	..	44 1	4		31 8	8 5				
	23–24					45 5¼	4		32 9½	8 8				
	24–25					46 9½	4		33 11½	8 10				
	25–26					47 7¼	4		34 7¼	9 0				
	26–27					48 11½	4		35 7½	9 4				
	27–28	12 6	12 6	..	..	50 7	4		36 11	9 8				
	28–29					51 11¼	4		37 11¼	10 0				
	29–30					53 3½	4		39 1½	10 2				
	30–31					55 2½	4		40 8½	10 6				
	31–32	16 0	16 0	..	..	56 9¾	4		41 11¾	10 10				
	32–33					58 8½	4		43 6½	11 2				
	33–34					60 4	4		44 10	11 6				
	34–35	20 0	20 0	..	..	62 9¼	4		46 11¼	11 10				
	35–36					64 8	4		48 4	12 4				
	36–37					66 6¾	4		49 9¾	12 9				
	37–38					68 8¾	4		51 6¾	13 2				
	38–39	25 0	25 0	..	..	71 2	4		53 8	13 6				
	39–40					73 10½	4		55 10½	14 0				
	40–41					76 3¾	4		57 9¾	14 6				
						with medical fees.								
No. of Rule ..	..	39	43	..	..	40, 44	44		42	29 Dist.	67	40	..	37	37
15. Court Ararat, A.O.F.	18–22	s. d. 15 0	s. d. 9 0	s. 6	..	s. d. 65 0	s. d. 33 10⁴/₅		s. d. 22 7¹/₅	s. d.	s. d. 2 6 Credited thus—1s. 6d. to the Management Fund, and 1s. to the Sick Fund.	*Second Wife*—42s.	*Widow*—6s.	s. 21	s. 5
	22–25	17 6	10 6	7	..	67 2	35 2²/₅		23 5³/₅					
	25–28	20 0	12 0	8	..	69 4	36 6		24 4					
	28–31	25 0	15 0	10	..	71 6	37 9³/₅		25 2²/₅	8 6				
	31–34	30 0	18 0	12	..	78 0	41 8²/₅		27 9³/₅					
	34–37	35 0	21 0	14	..	86 8	46 10⁴/₅		31 3¹/₅					
	37–40	40 0	24 0	16	..	99 8	54 8²/₅		36 5³/₅					
	40 and over	45 0 with back contributions from 40												
No. of Rule ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	83	79	24 Dist.	..	..
[No. of Amended Rule]	..	[2]	[4]	[4]	..	[3]	[4]	[4]	[4]	[4]	..	..		[5]

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BENEFITS.													
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the District Funeral Fund is under £40, or the Sick Fund of any Court under £20, a levy is imposed.
123	123	123	..	37	37	39	..	..	113	123	37	123	76	33, 121
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18 Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	Contributions, &c., for more than 12 weeks.	Members who joined before the 2nd September, 1885, pay contributions under a graduated scale similar to the one in this table.
141	141	141	141	135	135	102	..	..	56, 64, 95	140	135, 99	142	103	101
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 10	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the Funeral Fund is under £20, a levy is imposed on the members.
58	58	58	..	33 Dist.	33 Dist.	40	..	..	28, 37	58	33 Dist.	58	41	45
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and children under 16.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to 14 weeks' contributions.	When the Funeral Fund is under £50, or the Sick Fund under £10, a levy is imposed on the members.
74	74	74	..	79	79	79	24 Dist.	..	70	74	24 Dist.	74	29	22 Dist., 20

TABLE showing the ENTRANCE FEES and ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS paid by Members, the manner registered under the Friendly Societies Act 1877,

Society.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.												
	Member's Entrance Fee.					Member's Annual Contribution.					Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
			Appropriated to the—				Appropriated to the—							
	Age at Entry.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Total.	Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
17. Court Amherst, A.O.F.	18–25	s. d. 21 0	..	s. d. 18 6	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 60 8	s. d. 36 $4^4/_5$	s. d. 20 $3^1/_5$	s. 4	If from Ballarat District, 2s. 6d.; if from elsewhere, 5s. to 40s., according to age.	*Second Wife*—42s.	*Widow*—6s.	s. 42	..
	25–28	27 6	..	25 0	2 6									
	28–30	27 6	..	25 0	2 6	65 0	39 0	22 0	4		*Wife over* 40—42s.			
	30–35	35 0	..	32 6	2 6									
	35–40	45 0	..	42 6	2 6	69 4	41 $7^1/_5$	23 $8^4/_5$	4					
	40 and over	45 0 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	40	..	44	27 Dist.	42	44	44	27 Dist.	65	42	30 Dist.	38	..
18. I.O.R. ..	16–17	s. d.	s. d.			s. d. 28 4	s. 4	s. d. 21 0	s. d. 3 4	Members admitted by clearance pay all expenses incurred.	..	*Wife, Second Wife, and Widow*— Age. s. d. 16–18 2 8 18–21 3 0 21–23 3 4 23–26 3 8 26–28 4 0 28–30 4 4 30–32 4 8 32–33 5 0 33–35 5 4 35–36 5 8 36–37 6 0 37–39 6 4 39–40 6 8 40–41 7 0 41–42 7 4 42–43 7 8 43–44 8 0 44–45 8 4	s. 5	s. 5
	17–18					29 4	4	21 8	3 8					
	18–19					29 8	4	22 0	3 8					
	19–20					30 8	4	22 8	4 0					
	20–21					31 4	4	23 4	4 0					
	21–22					32 4	4	24 0	4 4					
	22–23					33 4	4	25 0	4 4					
	23–24					34 4	4	25 8	4 8					
	24–25					35 4	4	26 8	4 8					
	25–26					36 4	4	27 4	5 0					
	26–27					37 8	4	28 4	5 4					
	27–28					38 8	4	29 4	5 4					
	28–29					40 0	4	30 4	5 8					
	29–30					41 0	4	31 4	5 8					
	30–31	2 6	2 6	..	..	42 4	4	32 4	6 0					
	31–32					44 0	4	33 8	6 4					
	32–33					45 8	4	35 0	6 8					
	33–34					47 0	4	36 0	7 0					
	34–35					48 8	4	37 4	7 4					
	35–36					50 4	4	38 8	7 8					
	36–37					52 4	4	40 4	8 0					
	37–38					54 0	4	41 8	8 4					
	38–39					56 0	4	43 4	8 8					
	39–40					58 0	4	45 0	9 0					
	40–41					60 4	4	47 0	9 4					
	41–42					62 4	4	48 8	9 8					
	42–43					64 8	4	50 8	10 0					
	43–44					67 8	4	53 0	10 8					
	44–45					70 0 with medical fees	4	55 0	11 0					
No. of Rule ..	..	40	40	..	..	41, 42, 78	42, 78	41	41	57	..	41, 52	53	53
19. Ballarat and Sandhurst Grand Division, O.S.T.	16–20	s. d.	s. d.			s. d. 34 8	s. d. 8 8		s. d. 26 0	No fee stated.	*Wife*—5s. for age 25 and under, and 1s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45.	*Wife*—4s.	s. d. 2 6	s. 5
	20–25	2 6	2 6	..	..	39 0	8 8		30 4					
	25–32					43 4	8 8		34 8			*Second Wife*—4s.		
	32–35					47 8	8 8		39 0					
	35 and over	2 6 with back contributions from 35	..	..	..	47 8 with medical fees	8 8		39 0		*Second Wife*—10s. for age 25 and under, and 2s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45.	*Widow*—4s.		
No. of Rule ..	..	94, 111A	114	..	..	111, 109	111, 109	111		156	125C, 125G	125D, 125G, 127	171	171

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Benefits.														
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 10	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's widow and children.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	When the Funeral Fund is under £100, or the Sick Fund under £20, a levy is imposed on the members.
57	57	57	..	63	63	63	30 Dist.	..	29	57	63	57	43	28 Dist., 45
s. 20	*s.* 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	£ 20	£ 15	£ 15	£ 15	..	Member, wife, and children under prescribed age. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 6	A sum equal to 16 weeks' contributions.	Only total abstainers are eligible for membership. Members who joined before the 16th April, 1886, pay at all ages 32s. per annum, with medical fees as provided by Tent Laws, being 28s. to the Sick Fund and the balance to the M. and M. Fund, with, also, 1s. a quarter to the District Funeral Fund if required. From £11 7s., at age 25, to £38, at ages over 70, may be granted to a member permanently incapacitated in lieu of all future Sick and Funeral claims. When necessary, a levy of 2s. a quarter per member is imposed on the members of the Tent for the M. and M. Fund. Members paying half entrance fees and contributions are entitled to half Sick and Funeral benefits.
43	43	43	43	5	25	25	25	..	78, 52	43	25	45	46	1, 41, 22, 104A, 42
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 6	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, wife, and family. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and family. Honorary member.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	Only total abstainers are eligible for membership. Members paying half the entrance fees and contributions are entitled to half Sick and Funeral benefits. Female members pay half entrance fees and contributions, and are entitled to £10 at death, and sick pay at 10s. for 1st 3 months, 5s. for 2nd 3 months, and 3s. for 2nd 6 months. Every member joining under the age of 20 years, must, on attaining that age, pay 30s. 4d. a year to the Sick and Funeral Fund. Youths under 16 ("Cadets of Temperance") paying 13s. a year are entitled to £5 at death.
133	133	133	..	124	124	125G	127	..	146, 144, 173	109	124	133	118	1, 123, 170, 111

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Society.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.														
	Age at Entry.	Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
20. Melbourne Grand Division, O.S.T.	16–23 23–26 26–29 29–30 30–32 32–34 34–36	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 2 6	..	..	s. d. 52 0 54 2 56 4 58 6 60 8 62 10 65 0	s. 26 26 26 26 26 26 26	s. d. 20 0 22 2 24 4 26 6 28 8 30 10 33 0	s. 6	Not less than 6d. nor more than 5s.	*Wife*—5s. for age 25 and under, and 1s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45. *Second Wife*—10s. for age 25 and under, and 2s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45.	*Wife*—4s. *Second Wife*—4s. *Widow*—4s.	s. d. 2 6	s. 4
	36 and over	2 6 with back contributions from 36	..	..	..	65 0	26	33 0						
No. of Rule ..	..	22, 28	22	..	..	24	24	24	27 Gd. Div.	74	42, 46	43, 46, 48	20	20
21. Victoria Grand Division, O.S.T.	16–21 21–27 27–31 31–35 35–38 38–42 42–45	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 2 6	..	..	s. d. 52 0 56 4 60 8 65 0 69 4 73 8 78 0	s. 26 26 26 26 26 26 26	s. d. 18 0 22 4 26 8 31 0 35 4 39 8 44 0	s. 8	Not less than 6d. nor more than 5s.	*Wife*—5s. for age 25 and under, and 1s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45. *Second Wife*—10s. for age 25 and under, and 2s. extra for every year over 25 up to 45.	*Wife*—4s. *Second Wife*—4s. *Widow*—4s.	s. 5	s. 4 "Lady visitors" 1s.
No. of Rule ..	..	87	86	..	..	88	88	88	92	125	97, 101	98, 101, 103	67	67, 77
22. H.A.C.B.S. ..	16–18 18–20 20–25 25–30 30–35 35–38 38–40	s. 15 20 25 30 40 55 90	s. d. 7 6 10 0 12 6 15 0 20 0 27 6 45 0	s. d. 2 6 5 0 7 6 10 0 15 0 22 6 40 0	s. 5	s. 56	s. 30	s. 20	s. 6	No fee stated.	*Second Wife*—10s., and 1s. 6d. a quarter for 12 months.	..	s. 20 Life honorary member, £5 5s.	s. 10
	40–45	90 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..									
No. of Rule ..	..	74	75	75	43	76	76	76	43	95	86	..	73	73

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BENEFITS.													
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s.	*s. d.*	*s.*	*s.*	£	£	£	£			Months.	Months.	Months.	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	Only total abstainers are eligible for membership. Members paying half contributions are entitled to half Sick and Funeral benefits. Female members pay half contributions, and are entitled to sick pay at 7s. 6d. for 1st 6 months, 5s. for 2nd 6 months, 3s. 6d. for 3rd 6 months, and 2s. for subsequent sickness, with £10 at death. When the Sick Fund of any Division is in danger of being exhausted, a levy is made by the Grand Division on all the other Divisions.
20	12 6	9	4	20	10	10	10	..	Member, wife, and children under 18.	12	12	12		
30	30	30	30	38	38	46	48	..	63, 65	30	38	30	26	1 Gd. Div., 22, 24, 32, 38, 31
s.	*s. d.*	*s.*	*s.*	£	£	£	£			Months.	Months.	Months.	*s.*	
20	12 6	9	4	20	10	10	10	..	Member, wife, and children under 17. Member's widow and family.	12	12	12	15	Only total abstainers are eligible for membership. Members who joined before the 11th January, 1888, pay the following annual contributions: — 16–40, 52s., 40 and over, 52s. with 13s. extra to the Sick Fund. Youths ("Cadets of Temperance") paying 2s. 2d. a year are entitled to £2 10s. at death. When the Sick Fund of any Division is in danger of being exhausted, a levy is made by the Grand Division on all the other Divisions.
108	108	108	108	93	93	101	103	..	115 116, 103	62	62	108	63	1, 89, 79, 80, 109
s.	*s.*	*s.*	..	£	£	£	..	..		Months.	Months.	Months.	More than 16s.	
20	15 for 3 months, and 10s. for 3 months.	5		20	10	10			Member, wife, and children under 18. Member's parents. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	6	12	12		Only Roman Catholics are eligible for membership. A member is not entitled to receive sick pay at the 5s. rate until he has been a benefit member 5 years. In the Ballarat District the annual contribution is 69s., being, in the Ballarat Branch, 26s. 6d. to the Sick Fund, 6s. to the Funeral Fund, and 36s. 6d. to the Medical and Management Fund; in the other Branches of that District 20s. is credited to the Sick Fund, and 43s. to the Medical and Management Fund.
85	85	85	..	86	86	86	..	..	70, 83, 84	85	86	85	82	3, 85

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Society.	Age at Entry.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.											
		Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
23. O.St.A. ..	16–18	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 5 0	..	..	s. d. 52 0	s. 26	s. d. 20 8	s. d. 5 4	18–30. 2s. 6d.; 30-35, 5s.; 35-40, 7s. 6d.; 40-45, 10s.; 45-50, 12s. 6d.; 50 and over, 15s.	*Wife*—Under 25, 1s.; 25–30, 1s. 6d.; 30–35, 2s. 6d.; 35–40, 4s.	..	s. d. 10 6	s. d. 10 6
	18–20					56 4	26	23 8	6 8		*Second Wife*—40s.			
	20–21	7 6	7 6											
	21–25					60 8	26	26 8	8 0					
	25–26													
	26–29	10 0	10 0	..	..	65 0	26	30 0	9 0					
	29–30					69 4	26	33 4	10 0					
	30–33	12 6	12 6											
	33–35					73 8	26	36 8	11 0					
	35–36													
	36–39	15 0	15 0	..	..	78 0	26	40 0	12 0					
	39–40	..	..	..	..	82 4	26	43 4	13 0					
						with levies if necessary.								
		Female members as follows :—				Female members as follows :—								
	16–18	2 6	2 6	..	..	34 8	21 8	10 4	2 8					
	18–21			..	..	36 10	21 8	11 10	3 4					
	21–25			..	..	39 0	21 8	13 4	4 0					
	25–26			..	..									
	26–29	5 0	5 0	..	..	41 2	21 8	15 0	4 6					
	29–30			..	..	43 4	21 8	16 8	5 0					
	30–33			..	..									
	33–36	7 6	7 6	..	..	45 6	21 8	18 4	5 6					
	36–39			..	..	47 8	21 8	20 0	6 0					
	39–40			..	..	49 10	21 8	21 8	6 6					
No. of Rule ..	..	29	29	..	..	32, 31	32, 31	32	32	41	38 Gd. Lodge.	..	8	8
24. O.St.A.,S.C. ..	18–25	s. 10	s. 10	s. ..	..	s. 65	s. d. 35 4	s. d. 21 8	s. 8	No fee stated.	*Second Wife*—40s.	..	s. 21 Life honorary member, £5 5s.	s. d. 10 6
	25–30	30	20	10										
	30–35	40	20	20										
	35–39	50	20	30	..									
	39–42	80	20	60										
	42–45	100	20	80										
No. of Rule ..	..	50	52	52	..	52	52	52	26	80	28	..	47, 48	47
25. G.U.O.F.G. ..	18–30	s. 5	s. 5	s. ..		s. 52	s. d. 21 8	s. d. 30 4		s. d. 2 6	*Second Wife*—Age, under 40, 21s.; 40 and over, 100s.	..	s. 21	s. d. 10 6
	30–36	10	10	..										
	36–38	40	20	20										
	38–40	60	30	30										
						with levies if necessary.								
No. of Rule ..	..	137	137	137		154A	154A	154A		145	99	..	135	135
26. Melbourne District, St.P.S.	16–20	s. d. 5 0	s. 2	s. d. 0 6	s. d.	s.	s. d.	s. d.	s.	s. d.			s.	s.
	20–23	7 6	3	2 0										
	23–26	12 6	5	5 0	2 6	60	24 0	28 0	8					
	26–28	17 6	7	8 0										
	28–30	22 6	9	11 0										
	30–32	30 0	12	15 6										
	32–34	40 0	16	21 6	2 6	66	26 $4^4/_5$	31 $7^1/_5$	8	2 6 If from outside Victoria, 5s.	..	..	10	5
	34–35	50 0	20	27 6										
	35–36	50 0	20	27 6										
	36–38	80 0	32	45 6	2 6	72	28 $9^3/_5$	35 $2^2/_5$	8					
	38–40	100 0	40	57 6										
No. of Rule ..	...	44	49	49	39 Dist.	44	49	49	39 Dist.	66, 67	..	..	44	44

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Benefits.													
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20 Female members—10s. for 4 months, 6s. 3d. for 4 months, and 2s. 6d. for subsequent sickness	*s. d.* 12 6	*s.* 5	..	£ 20 Female member, £10.	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother and sisters. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family. Female member and her family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to 14 weeks' contributions.	All nationalities are eligible for membership, male and female. Members who joined before the 10th September, 1886, pay the following contributions:—16–38, 60s. 8d. a year; 38–40, 64s. 8d. a year. When the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund is under £800, a levy is imposed on the lodges.
34	34	34	..	38 G. L.	38 G. L.	38 G. L.	..	..	4, 42, 8	34	38 G. L.	34	38	1 G.L., 30, 38 G.L.
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 13 weeks' contributions.	Only persons of Scottish birth, extraction, or descent, or married to Scottish women, and native-born Australians are eligible for membership. When the Grand Lodge Funeral Fund is under £100, or the Sick Fund of any Lodge under 10s. per member, a levy is imposed.
74	74	74	..	27	27	28	..	..	41, 79, 42	74	27	75	53	Preamble, 30, 51
s. 20	*s.* 13	*s. d.* 7 6	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 12 weeks' contributions.	The funeral claims are discharged by the Grand Lodge, which is re-imbursed by *pro ratâ* levies on the Lodges sufficient to keep the Funeral Fund up to £200. Some of the Lodges charge members 65s. a year, crediting the excess over 30s. 4d. a year to the Medical and Management Fund.
91	91	91	..	92	92	99	..	..	87, 136	91	92	91	163	23
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5 during pleasure of Branch Committee.	..	£ 20	£ 10	..	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother and her family. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12	Months. 24	A sum equal to 3 months' contributions.	Only Irishmen and men of Irish descent are eligible for membership. When any Branch is unable to meet its sick claims, a levy is imposed on every member of the District.
55	55	55	..	45 Dist.	45 Dist.	..	..	..	29, 40	55	45 Dist.	55	45	2 Dist., 7

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Society.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.														
	Age at Entry.	Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
27. Geelong and Western District, St.P.S.	18–25	*s.* 20	*s. d.* 10 0	*s. d.* 7 6	*s. d.* 2 6	*s.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*				*s.* 5	*s.* 5
	25–30	30	15 0	11 3	3 9									
	30–35	35	17 6	13 1½	4 4½	52	26	19 6	6 6	..	..	..	Life honorary members, 63*s.*	
	35–40	50	25 0	18 9	6 3									
	40–45	50 with half of back contributions from 40				with extra medical fees from married members.								
No. of Rule ..	..	vi.	vii.	vii.	vii.	viii. xxvi.	viii. xxvi.	viii.	viii.	..	..	..	vi.	viii.
28. P.A.F.S. ..	16–19	*s. d.* 2 6	*s. d.* 1 3	*s. d.* 1 3		*s. d.* 52 0	*s.* 26	*s. d.* 20 8	*s. d.* 5 4	*s. d.*	*Second Wife*—21*s.*	*Widow*—4*s.*	*s.* 5	*s.* 4
	19–23					56 4	26	22 8	7 8					
	23–26					60 8	26	26 0	8 8					
	26–29	5 0	2 6	2 6		65 0	26	29 4	9 8					
	29–31					69 4	26	32 8	10 8	2 6				
	31–33					73 8	26	35 8	12 0					
	33–36	10 0	5 0	5 0		78 0	26	39 0	13 0					
	36–38					82 4	26	42 4	14 0					
	38–40					86 8	26	45 4	15 4					
						with levies if necessary.								
No. of Rule ..	..	189	143	143		213	213	213	213	202	162	198	186	186
30. A.N.A. ..	16–20	*s. d.* 5 0	*s.* 3	*s. d.* 0 6	*s. d.* 1 6	*s. d.* 52 0	*s.* 26	*s. d.* 20 4	*s. d.* 5 8	*s. d.*	*Wife*—2*s.* 6*d.* *Second Wife*—40*s.*	..	..	*s.* 10
	20–24					56 4	26	23 8	6 8					
	24–25					60 8	26	26 8	8 0				Life honorary members, 63*s.*	
	25–28	10 0	6	2 6	1 6									
	28–30					65 0	26	29 8	9 4	2 6				
	30–32													
	32–34	20 0	12	5 0	3 0	69 4	26	33 0	10 4					
	34–35					73 8	26	36 4	11 4					
	35–37													
	37–40	30 0	18	9 0	3 0	78 0	26	39 4	12 8					
						with levies if necessary.								
No. of Rule ..	..	20	65	65	66	20	20	20	66	39	22	..	41	41
31. A.O.S. ..		*s.*	*s.*	*s.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s.*				*s. d.*	
						Married members.					*Second Wife*—10*s.*	*Second Wife*—2*s.*	10 6	..
	Under 36	10	5	3	2	26 0 | 6 6 | 16 6 | 3								
						Unmarried members.								
						26 0 | 6 6 | 17 6 | 2								
	36–40	10	5	3	2	Married members.								
						30 4 | 7 7 | 19 9 | 3								
						Unmarried members.								
						30 4 | 7 7 | 20 9 | 2								
	40 and over	10 with back contributions from 40	..	..	..	Same as ages 36–40.								
No. of Rule ..	..	52	55	55	19	53	55	55	19	..	100	100	58	..

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Benefits.														
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20	*s.* 15 for 3 months, and 10s. for 3 months.	*s.* 10 for 3 months, and 5s. for subsequent sickness.	..	£ 20	£ 10	..	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother and her family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 6	Months. 12	Months. 6	A sum equal to 13 weeks' contributions.	Only Roman Catholic Irishmen and Roman Catholics "connected with Ireland by descent, or intermarriage, or sympathy" are eligible for membership. All interest received is appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund.
xxii.	xxii.	xxii.	..	xxiv.	xxiv.	..	..	..	xxv., xxvi., xxvii.	xxii.	xxiv.	xxii.	xxix.	iii., ix.
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	..	Member, his wife, aged parents, sons under 18, daughters under 21. Member's widow and family. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 3 months' contributions.	Only Protestants are eligible for membership. The funeral claims are discharged by the Grand Lodge, which is re-imbursed by *pro ratâ* levies on Lodges. Members who joined on or before the 2nd May, 1887, pay at all ages 52s. a year, being 30s. 4d. to the Sick and Funeral Fund and 21s. 8d. to the Medical and Management Fund, together with levies if necessary.
150	151	151	..	159	159	162	198	..	131, 132, 196, 187	150	159	151	220	189, 57, 58, 213
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, his wife, sons under 16, daughters under 20. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 12	14 weeks' contributions.	Only persons born in the Australasian colonies are eligible for membership. Members who joined before the 26th August, 1885, pay at all ages 56s. a year, being 20s. to the Sick Fund, 6s. to the Funeral Fund, and 30s. to the Medical and Management Fund. When the General Funeral Fund is under £100, or the funds of any Branch in danger of being exhausted, a levy is imposed.
28	28	28	..	37	37	22	..	..	26, 23, 42	28	37	28	24	18, 20, 66, 12, 68
s. 15	*s. d.* 7 6	*s. d.* 3 9	..	£ 10	£ 5	£ 5	..	..	No medical benefits are given in this society.	Months. 12	Months. 12	Months. 12	A sum equal to 6 months' contributions.	Only Foresters are eligible for membership. When the District Funds are under £50, or the Sanctuary Funds under £10, a levy may be imposed on the members.
95	95	95	..	100	100	100	.. ..	..	1	95	23	95	56	49, 24 46

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Society.	Entrance Fees and Contributions.												
	Age at Entry.	Member's Entrance Fee.				Member's Annual Contribution.				Clearance Fee—To the Management Fund.	Member's Wife, Second Wife, Wife over 40, Widow or Child—To the Funeral Fund.		Honorary Member—To the Management Fund.	
		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
33. G.S.R.S. ..	16-20	*s.* 10	..	*s.* 10		*s. d.*	*s.*	*s. d.*		..	*Wife*—10*s.* *Second Wife*—10*s.*	*Second Wife*—6*s.* *Widow*—13*s.* *Child*—4*s.* 4*d.* paid by all married members.	Life honorary member, £10 10*s.*	*s.* 21
	20-25	15	..	15		56 0	30	26 0						
	25-30	25	..	25										
	30-35	35	..	35										
	35-40	50	..	50		60 4	30	30 4						
	40-46	70	..	70		64 8	30	34 8						
No. of Rule ..	..	12	..	12		15	17, 15	17, 15		..	14	14, 46, 17	13	13
34. St.M.T.A.B.S.	16-18	*s. d.* 10 0	*s. d.* 5 0	*s. d.* 3 9	*s. d.* 1 3	*s.*	*s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*				*s. d.* 2 6	*s.* 6
	18-20	12 6	6 3	4 8½	1 6½								Life honorary member, 42*s.*	
	20-22	15 0	7 6	5 7½	1 10½									
	22-24	17 6	8 9	6 6¾	2 2¼									
	24-26	20 0	10 0	7 6	2 6									
	26-28	22 6	11 3	8 5¼	2 9¾									
	28-30	25 0	12 6	9 4½	3 1½									
	30-32	27 6	13 9	10 3¾	3 5¼									
	32-34	30 0	15 0	11 3	3 9	52	26	19 6	6 6	..	..	..		
	34-36	32 6	16 3	12 2¼	4 0¾									
	36-38	35 0	17 6	13 1½	4 4½									
	38-39	37 6	18 9	14 0¾	4 8¼									
	39-40	50 0	25 0	18 9	6 3									
	40-41	60 0	30 0	22 6	7 6									
	41-42	70 0	35 0	26 3	8 9									
	42-43	80 0	40 0	30 0	10 0									
	43-44	90 0	45 0	33 9	11 3									
	44-45	100 0	50 0	37 6	12 6									
No. of Rule ..	..	xxii.	xxiv.	xxiv.	xxiv.	xxv.	xxv.	xxv.	xxv.	..	..	..	xxviii. vi.	xxviii.
35. U.L.F.S. ..	18-35	*s. d.* 5 0	..	*s. d.* 5 0		*s. d.* 17 4	*s. d.* 4 4	*s. d.* 13 0		..	..	..	..	..
	35-40	7 6	..	7 6		21 8	5 5	16 3						
	40-45	10 0	..	10 0		26 0	6 6	19 6						
No. of Rule ..	..	21	..	22		22	22	22		..	..	..	..	..
36. C.M.P.S. ..	Under 30	*s.* 40	..	..	..	20*s.*, and raise or contribute another 20*s.*	..	..	..	..	..	..	£ 10 or in lieu thereof £1 a year.	£ 5 for honorary delegated member.
	30-50	40*s.*, with 2*s.* extra for every year over 30, or, in lieu of the 20*s.*, 2*s.* a year extra contributions for every year over 30.												
No. of Rule ..	..	7	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	6

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Benefits.													
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First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20 for 3 months, and 15*s.* for 3 months.	*s.* 10 for 3 months, and 7*s.* 6*d.* for 3 months.	*s. d.* 7 6	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	£ 10	£ *s.* 2 10 if under 6 years of age, £5 from 6 to 16.	Member, wife, and children under 16.	Months. 6	Months. 6	Months. 12	A sum equal to more than 14 weeks' contributions.	Only Germans are eligible for membership. When the Sick and Funeral Fund is in danger of being exhausted, a levy is imposed on the members.
33, 38	38	38	..	44	44	44	46	44	1	33	44	38	16	55, 15
s. 20	*s.* 15 for 3 months, and 10*s.* for 3 months.	*s.* 10	*s.* 5	£ 20	£ 10	..	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 16. Single member's widowed mother and sisters. Honorary member and family. Lady honorary member.	Months. 6	Months. 12	Months. 9	A sum equal to 13 weeks' contributions.	Members of the age 40 and over pay on joining, in addition to the amounts set down in this table, half the back contributions from 40. Only total abstainers are eligible for membership, but there is no restriction as to nationality or creed. Members paying half entrance fees and contributions are entitled to half sick and funeral benefits. When the Sick and Funeral Fund is in danger of being exhausted, a levy is imposed on the members.
xlix.	xlix.	xlix.	xlix.	lii.	lii.	..	..	..	xlvii., lxix., xxxiii., xiii.	xlix.	lii.	xlix.	lxxii.	xxiii., iv., x., lxxxii.
s. 15 for 3 months, and 7*s.* 6*d.* for 3 months.	..	..	..	£ 7	£ 5	..	..	..	No medical benefits are given in this Society.	Months. 6	Months. 12	..	A sum equal to more than 13 weeks' contributions.	Members are entitled to sick pay only when the incapacity is the result of an accident.
2	..	..	..	5	5	..	..	..	2	23	23	..	24	2
No sick pay is given in this Society.				*Pensions and amounts payable at death.*—The amount payable as a pension to each beneficiary member of the age of 60 or over (*a*), and the amount payable to the widow and orphans of each beneficiary member who has died during the year (*b*), is calculated at the close of each year as follows:—*As* the total of the ages of all the beneficiary members *is to* the total amount of the Pension Fund (*a*), and *to* the Immediate Fund of the Decease Fund (*b*), *so is* the age of each beneficiary member *to* the sum payable to him as pension (*a*), or *to* his widow and orphans (*b*), as the case may be.					No medical benefits are given in this Society.	..	..	..	..	Only ministers of the Congregational Church of Victoria are eligible for membership. All contributions from beneficiary members cease at age 55. It is provided that, as far as practicable, the amount payable to the widow and orphans of each deceased beneficiary member shall not be less than £100.
..	..	..	..	25					..	.	..	..	..	1, 9, 16*d*

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		Total.	Appropriated to the—			Total.	Appropriated to the—				Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.	Entrance Fee.	Annual Contribution.
			Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.		Medical and Management Fund.	Sick Fund.	Funeral Fund.					
37. Bendigo District Miners' Accident Society	All ages	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 2 6	..	..	s. d. 19 6	s. d. 6 6	s. 13		..	..	..	s. d. 10 6	s. 5
No. of Rule ..	..	8	17	..	..	4	17	17		..	..	..	7	7
38. I.N.F.B.S. ..	16–18	s. 10	s. 9	..	s. 1	s. d. 52 0	s. d. 26	s. d. 20 8	s. d. 5 4	s. d. 2 6 If from outside Victoria, 5s.	*Wife*—2s. 6d. *Second Wife*—10s. 6d.	*Second Wife*—12s.	s. d. 10 6 Life honorary members, 63s.	s. 10
	18–20	10	9	..	1	56 4	26	22 8	7 8					
	20–23	15	14	..	1									
	23–28	15	14	..	1	60 8	26	26 0	8 8					
	28–30	15	14	..	1	65 0	26	29 4	9 8					
	30–32	20	19	..	1									
	32–35	20	19	..	1	69 4	26	32 4	11 0					
	35–36	30	29	..	1									
	36–38	30	29	..	1	73 8	26	35 8	12 0					
	38–40	30	29	..	1	78 0	26	39 0	13 0					
No. of Rule ..	..	127	134	..	63	131	134	134	63	167, 168	125, 69	69	129, 130	129
39. M.T.B.S. ..	16–35	s. d. 2 6	s. d. 2 6	..	..	s. 52	s. d. 15 2	s. d. 36 10		..	..	..	..	£ s. 5 5
	35–45	15 0	15 0											
No. of Rule ..	..	10	14	..	..	11	14	14		..	..	..	..	11

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BENEFITS.													
Sick Pay during—				Amount Payable at Death of—					Medical Attendance and Medicine to—	New Members are entitled to—		A Member having received Sick Pay at one of the lower rates, must, before again entitled to the highest rate, be off the Funds—	A Member is Unfinancial if he owes—	Remarks.
First Six Months' Sickness.	Second Six Months' Sickness.	Third and after Six Months' Sickness.	Fourth and after Six Months' Sickness.	Member.	First Wife.	Second Wife.	Widow.	Child.		Full Sick Pay after—	Full Amount at Death after—			
s. 20 for 3 months and 10s. for 3 months.	..	..	..	£ 30	..	..	..	..	No medical benefits are given in this Society.	Weeks. 12	Weeks. 12	..	A sum equal to 6 weeks' contributions.	Only persons working in or about mines are eligible for membership. Members are entitled to sick pay and amount at death only when the incapacity or death is the result of an accident. A sum not exceeding £100 may be granted to a member permanently disabled. When the Sick and Funeral Fund is under £150 a levy is imposed on the members.
15	..	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	4	3, 15, 16, 17
s. 20	*s.* 10	*s.* 5 for 12 months only.	..	£ 20	£ 10	£ 10	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 18. Single member's widowed mother. Member's widow and children. Honorary member and family.	Months. 12 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 12 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 12	A sum equal to 14 weeks' contributions.	Only Irishmen or men of Irish descent are eligible for membership. When the Executive Council Funeral Fund is under £200, or the Sick Fund under £1 per member, a levy is imposed.
150	150	150	..	65	65	69	..	..	107, 114, 129	149	65	150	135	4, 63, 134
s. 20	*s.* 10 for 3 months, and 5s. for 3 months.	..	..	£ 20	£ 10 Also £10 on death of a single member's widowed mother.	..	..	..	Member, wife, and children under 16. Single member's widowed mother and her children.	Months. 9 Half sick pay after 6 months.	Months. 9 Half amount at death after 6 months.	Months. 6	A sum equal to more than 4 weeks' contributions.	Only employés of the Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus Company Limited who do not belong to a Trades Union are eligible for membership. All donations to the Society are applied towards reducing members' contributions. All fines are appropriated to the Sick and Funeral Fund.
47	47	..	..	57	58	..	..	..	61	46, 47	57	48	56	4, 11, 14

APPENDIX C.

STATISTICS OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES, 1888.

DETAILED TABLES.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

	1 Excelsior. Ballarat. 1864.		2 Hand of Friendship. Ballarat. 1866.		3 Wendouree. Wendouree. 1867.		4 Clunes. Clunes. 1869.		5 Pride of the Wimmera. Stawell. 1869.		6 Stuart Mill. St. Arnaud. 1869.	
Name of branch												
Where situated												
Year when established ..												
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,646 9 0	56 6 5	101 15 9	54 10 11½	375 17 0¼	10 18 3½	136 3 4¾	22 12 8¼	359 19 4	9 8 7	146 7 7	32 2 5
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	293 4 2	254 18 11	118 2 2	88 0 8	62 7 2¼	69 1 10	56 16 11¾	72 15 0¼	109 7 1	142 1 8	70 17 2	71 19 2
Special levies	..	..	49 2 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	5 9 6	3 15 6	1 9 6	1 3 0	1 7 0	1 3 0	1 7 0	0 18 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 16 0	3 6 0
Interest	136 9 6	..	7 3 4	..	21 0 5	..	..	..	13 9 2	..	5 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 7 6	..	1 4 6	..	1 13 0	25 0 0[3]	3 5 11	4 16 8[4]	22 5 4	..	19 16 0
Total Receipts ..	435 3 2	261 1 11	175 17 0	90 8 2	84 14 7¼	71 17 10	83 3 11¾	76 18 11¼	134 4 11	170 11 0	80 13 2	95 1 2
Total	2,081 12 2	317 8 4	277 12 9	144 19 1½	460 11 7½	82 16 1½	219 7 4½	99 11 7½	494 4 3	179 19 7	227 0 9	127 3 7
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	228 15 0	..	213 12 6	..	27 0 0	..	71 1 10	..	92 17 6	..	15 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	178 2 1	..	78 0 3	..	39 19 5	..	42 19 2	..	118 12 5	..	55 10 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	40 13 0	21 10 3	17 11 0	9 8 9	9 3 0	4 16 6	7 19 6	4 5 3	16 8 10	7 13 11	9 18 6	4 18 9
Sub-Committee dues ..	..	18 3 0	..	8 9 0	..	4 6 0	..	3 6 0	..	6 17 8	..	4 9 0
Management	..	42 3 6	..	28 4 5	..	18 9 5	..	12 0 6	..	29 10 9	..	19 11 0
Other expenditure	..	6 3 4[1]	..	4 11 7[1]	..	7 4 5[2]	..	10 9 11	..	9 18 8[1]	..	1 13 3[1]
Total Expenditure ..	269 8 0	266 2 2	231 3 6	128 14 0	36 3 0	74 15 9	79 1 4	73 0 10	109 6 4	172 13 5	24 18 6	86 2 0
Balance	1,812 4 2	51 6 2	46 9 3	16 5 1½	424 8 7½	8 0 4½	140 6 0½	26 10 9½	384 17 11	7 6 2	202 2 3	41 1 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	1,670 11 0	..	46 9 3	..	393 3 0	..	..	..	355 19 2	..	150 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	137 15 4	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	141 13 2	51 6 2	..	16 5 1½	31 5 7½	8 0 4½	2 10 8½	26 10 9½	28 18 9	7 6 2	52 2 3	41 1 7
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	17 14 6	..	1 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.												
Entitled to benefits ..	174	175	81	81	40	38	37	35	60	62	44	38
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	15	9	10	16	5	11	3	1	3	..	6	2
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	10	14	7	3	5	3	1	2	4	20	1	11
Total	199	198	98	100	50	52	41	38	67	82	51	51
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	15		4		3		2		20		11	
Departures .. { By death ..	1, £20		2, £40		..		1, £20		1, £20		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	15		..		1		4		4		11	
Number of members sick ..	41		27		8		12		13		7	
Period of sickness	353 w. 3 d.		284 w. 3 d.		27 w.		71 w. 1 d.		111 w.		15 w.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		1, £10; 1 C., £2.*		..		..		..		..	

* Death of registered child.—[1] Including levy on account of Clunes Lodge—No. 1 Lodge, £2 4s. 6d.; No. 2, £1 1s. 3d.; No. 5, 16s. 6d.; No. 6, 10s. 9d.—[2] Including error in balance, £5 16s.; and levy for Clunes Lodge, 10s. 9d.—[3] Loan from District.
[4] Refunded by Incidental Fund.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	7 Corio. Geelong. 1872.		8 Pride of Horsham. Horsham. 1876.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Ballarat District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 455 12 10	£ s. d. 1 13 4	£ s. d. 218 10 6	£ s. d. 1 15 8	£ s. d. 3,440 15 5	£ s. d. 189 8 4¼	£ s. d. 1,942 10 2	£ s. d. 15 10 0	£ s. d. 5,383 5 7	£ s. d. 204 18 4¼
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	111 19 9	109 13 8	52 18 7	61 16 6	875 13 1	870 7 5¼	..	..	875 13 1	870 7 5¼
Special levies	..	..	..	..	49 2 0	..	..	..	49 2 0	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 14 0	1 2 0	2 11 6	0 14 0	25 6 6	18 5 6	..	..	25 6 6	18 5 6
Interest	18 14 4	..	5 5 0	..	207 1 9	..	86 6 6	..	293 8 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	125 16 10	64 10 8	125 16 10	64 10 8
Other receipts	..	2 18 0	6 0 0 [3]	1 11 0	35 16 8	55 1 3	..	12 15 10	35 16 8	67 17 1
Total Receipts	132 8 1	113 13 8	66 15 1	64 1 6	1,193 0 0	943 14 2¼	212 3 4	77 6 6	1,405 3 4	1,021 0 8¼
Total	588 0 11	115 7 0	285 5 7	65 17 2	4,633 15 5	1,133 2 6½	2,154 13 6	92 16 6	6,788 8 11	1,225 19 0½
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	29 3 4	..	59 14 10	..	737 5 0	..	..	..	737 5 0	..
Medical attendance	..	73 19 3	..	35 2 0	..	622 4 7	..	..	..	622 4 7
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	174 0 0	..	174 0 0	..
District dues	15 1 0	7 17 0	9 2 0	4 0 3	125 16 10	64 10 8	..	..	125 16 10	64 10 8
Sub-Committee dues	..	6 17 6	..	3 2 0	..	55 10 2	..	..	..	55 10 2
Management	..	17 10 6	..	12 1 0	..	179 11 1	..	61 12 6	..	241 3 7
Other expenditure	..	8 19 6 [1]	..	0 10 6 [1]	..	49 11 2	..	13 14 7	..	63 5 9
Total Expenditure	44 4 4	115 3 9	68 16 10	54 15 9	863 1 10	971 7 8	174 0 0	75 7 1	1,037 1 10	1,046 14 9
Balance	543 16 7	0 3 3	216 8 9	11 1 5	3,770 13 7	161 14 10½	1,980 13 6	17 9 5	5,751 7 1	179 4 3½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	524 19 4	..	150 0 0	..	3,291 1 9	..	1,775 0 0	..	5,066 1 9	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	137 15 4	..	..	..	137 15 4	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	18 17 3	0 3 3	66 8 9	11 1 5	341 16 6	161 14 10½	205 13 6	17 9 5	547 10 0	179 4 3½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	19 12 6	..	..	..	19 12 6
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	61	68	30	26	..	..	..	..	527	523
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	5	..	7	5	..	..	..	..	54	44
Not entitled to benefits { New	10	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	41	58
Total	76	71	40	33	..	..	..	..	622	625
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	5		2		..		..		62	
Departures { By death	2, £20 [2]		2, £40		..		..		9, £160	
Departures { Otherwise	8		7		..		..		50	
Number of members sick	9		6		..		..		123	
Period of Sickness	29 w. 1 d.		64 w. 4 d.		..		..		936 w. 0 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1 C., £2.*		..		..		..		1, £10; 2 C., £4.*	

BENDIGO DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Star of Eaglehawk. Eaglehawk. 1866.		2 Sandhurst. Sandhurst. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 691 9 4	£ s. d. 22 9 0	£ s. d. 325 18 7	£ s. d. 21 6 0
RECEIPTS.				
Contributions	313 0 3	295 15 11	143 13 10	142 15 11
Special levies	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	6 1 0	1 13 6	4 13 0	2 13 0
Interest	30 10 0	..	14 17 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	10 9 0	..	7 15 11
Total Receipts	349 11 3	307 18 5	163 4 1	153 4 10
Total	1,041 0 7	330 7 5	489 2 8	174 10 10
EXPENDITURE.				
Sick pay	346 4 8	..	97 19 8	..
Medical attendance	..	199 16 6	..	90 3 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..
District dues	64 3 6	20 1 6	30 1 6	9 6 6
Sub-Committee dues	..	19 19 6	..	9 6 6
Management	..	68 0 3	..	32 1 6
Other expenditure	..	4 4 0	..	11 12 1
Total Expenditure	410 8 2	312 1 9	128 1 2	152 9 7
Balance	630 12 5	18 5 8	361 1 6	22 1 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.				
Invested at interest	600 0 0	..	353 14 10	22 1 3
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	30 12 5	18 5 8	7 6 8	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	201	190	85	87
Not entitled { Unfinancial	5	5	5	6
Not entitled { New	6	7	5	4
Total	212	202	95	97
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.				
Admitted	8		9	
Departures { By death	5, £100		..	
Departures { Otherwise	13		7	
Number of members sick	42		19	
Period of Sickness	569 w.		148 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		1, £10; 1 C., £2.*	

* Deaths of registered children.—[1] Including levy on account of Clunes Lodge—No. 7 Lodge, 17s. 3d.; No. 8, 8s.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits at death.—[3] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.

BENDIGO DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	3 Pride of Bendigo. Sandhurst. 1871.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Bendigo District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	374 3 3	9 11 5	1,391 11 2	53 6 5	890 9 6	32 13 6	2,282 0 8	85 19 11
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	110 10 5	107 5 7	567 4 6	545 17 5	..	..	567 4 6	545 17 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 16 6	2 16 0	15 10 6	7 2 6	..	..	15 10 6	7 2 6
Interest	17 0 4	..	62 7 7	..	38 0 0	..	100 7 7	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	115 19 6	36 6 6	115 19 6	36 6 6
Other receipts	..	5 4 0	..	23 8 11	..	9 0 0	..	32 8 11
Total receipts	132 7 3	115 5 7	645 2 7	576 8 10	153 19 6	45 6 6	799 2 1	621 15 4
Total	506 10 6	124 17 0	2,036 13 9	629 15 3	1,044 9 0	78 0 0	3,081 2 9	707 15 3
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	148 8 4	..	592 12 8	..	..	..	592 12 8	..
Medical attendance	..	65 5 0	..	355 4 6	..	..	..	355 4 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	162 0 0	..	162 0 0	..
District dues	21 14 6	6 18 6	115 19 6	36 6 6	..	..	115 19 6	36 6 6
Sub-Committee dues	..	6 14 6	..	36 0 6	..	..	..	36 0 6
Management	..	28 15 10	..	128 17 7	..	38 13 6	..	167 11 1
Other expenditure	..	1 9 0	..	17 5 1	..	5 16 11	..	23 2 0
Total expenditure	170 2 10	109 2 10	708 12 2	573 14 2	162 0 0	44 10 5	870 12 2	618 4 7
Balance	336 7 8	15 14 2	1,328 1 7	56 1 1	882 9 0	33 9 7	2,210 10 7	89 10 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	336 7 8	10 11 4	1,290 2 6	32 12 7	882 9 0	17 11 0	2,172 11 6	50 3 7
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	5 2 10	37 19 1	23 8 6	..	15 18 7	37 19 1	39 7 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	69	63	..	..	..	..	355	340
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	1	..	..	..	..	10	12
to benefits { New	1	8	..	..	..	..	12	19
Total	70	72	..	..	..	..	377	371
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	8		..		..		25	
Departures { By death	2, £40		..		..		7, £140	
{ Otherwise	4		..		..		24	
Number of members sick	21		..		..		82	
Period of sickness	167 w.		..		..		884 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		2, £20; 1 C., £2.*	

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Welcome. Campbell's Creek. 1860.		2 Fryer's Creek Friendly. Fryer's Creek. 1863.		3 Southern Cross. Taradale. 1863.		4 Mount Alexander. Castlemaine. 1863.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	125 8 7	115 17 0	737 10 5	2 9 3	272 16 1	1 1 8	609 14 3	18 12 9½
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	108 18 6	74 2 2	105 14 8	99 3 11	20 14 8	19 9 10	51 15 2	53 12 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 6 0	0 17 0	1 7 0	0 18 0	2 14 0	3 5 0	1 2 0	0 8 0
Interest	5 0 0	1 15 0	27 4 9	..	17 5 11	..	29 1 8	0 11 2
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	3 5 0	1 16 8[2]	2 14 0	..	1 8 0	..	1 14 0
Total receipts	115 4 6	79 19 2	136 3 1	102 15 11	40 14 7	24 2 10	81 18 10	56 6 0
Total	240 13 1	195 16 2	873 13 6	105 5 2	313 10 8	25 4 6	691 13 1	74 18 9½
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	74 5 0	..	74 13 4	..	3 16 8	..	49 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	31 7 0	..	50 8 0	..	7 10 0	..	33 4 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	13 17 0	12 17 6	14 8 6	14 0 0	2 14 0	2 11 0	7 19 0	6 11 0
Sub-Committee dues	..	6 4 6	..	7 4 0	..	1 5 6	..	3 5 6
Management	..	28 1 6	..	29 12 3	..	6 3 1	..	13 2 6
Other expenditure	..	2 5 3	..	1 6 4	..	..	..	0 2 0
Total expenditure	88 2 0	80 15 9	89 1 10	102 10 7	6 10 8	17 9 7	57 9 0	56 5 6
Balance	152 11 1	115 0 5	784 11 8	2 14 7	307 0 0	7 14 11	634 4 1	18 13 3½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	152 11 1	7 8 11	731 0 0	..	298 19 5	..	628 11 7	18 0 0
Invested in halls	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	7 11 6	53 11 8	2 14 7	8 0 7	7 14 11	5 12 6	0 13 3½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	61	62	68	69	13	12	28	33
Not entitled { Unfinancial	3	..	5	..	..	..	1	..
to benefits { New	1	4	..	5	..	6	4	2
Total	65	66	73	74	13	18	33	35
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	4		5		6		2	
Departures { By death	£20[1]		..		..		..	
{ Otherwise	3		4		1		5	
Number of members sick	10		17		1		49 w. 3 d.	
Period of sickness	78 w. 3 d.		114 w. 1 d.		3 w. 5 d.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..	

* Death of registered child.——[1] Paid on account of member who died in 188 .——[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—continued.

	5 Malmsbury. Malmsbury. 1863.		6 Loyal Daylesford. Daylesford. 1864.		7 Drummond. Drummond. 1864.		8 Baringhup. Baringhup. 1876.		9 Kyneton. Kyneton. 1876.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.[4]		Total of Castlemaine District.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	669 15 6	14 18 11	545 9 9	21 5 6	256 0 3½	1 8 7½	144 18 10	8 9 5	201 10 10½	−5 4 0½	3,563 4 7	178 19 1½	1,825 5 2	4 3 11	5,388 9 9	183 3 0½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	40 11 11	47 5 5	101 5 8	112 13 5	40 8 5½	36 4 6½	24 5 5	24 19 1	50 2 3½	56 17 9	543 16 9	524 8 11½	7 2 10	4 15 2	550 19 7	529 4 1½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 5 6	0 2 0	7 3 0	2 7 5	2 17 6	0 19 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	2 7 0	1 5 0	19 8 0	10 5 5	..	..	19 8 0	10 5 5
Interest	20 9 0	..	22 0 0	..	8 0 0	..	4 19 11	..	7 0 0	..	141 1 3	2 6 2	99 18 0	..	240 19 3	2 6 2
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	80 13 7	69 17 1	80 13 7	69 17 1
Other receipts	..	1 17 0	0 6 0[1]	3 3 0	..	4 6 1	..	0 6 6	0 1 0[1]	1 8 2½	2 3 8	20 1 9½	..	8 15 4	2 3 8	28 17 1½
Total Receipts ..	61 6 5	49 4 5	130 14 8	118 3 10	51 5 11½	41 9 7½	29 11 4	25 9 7	59 10 3½	59 10 11½	706 9 8	557 2 4	187 14 5	83 7 7	894 4 1	640 9 11
Total	731 1 11	64 3 4	676 4 5	139 9 4	307 6 3	42 18 3	174 10 2	33 19 0	261 1 2	54 6 11	4,269 14 3	736 1 5½	2,012 19 7	87 11 6	6,282 13 10	823 12 11½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	34 6 8	..	60 17 6	..	11 10 0	..	30 10 0	..	24 13 4	..	364 2 6	..	13 0 0	..	377 2 6	..
Medical attendance	..	38 18 0	..	72 15 6	..	25 12 6	..	13 19 0	..	32 18 0	..	306 12 6	..	..	..	306 12 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42 0 0	..	42 0 0	..
District dues	6 4 0	5 7 0	17 2 7	12 18 7	6 14 6	5 1 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	8 9 0	7 9 0	80 13 7	69 17 1	..	..	80 13 7	69 17 1
Sub-Committee dues ..	..	2 13 6	..	6 9 6	..	2 14 0	..	1 9 0	..	3 12 6	..	34 18 0	..	..	..	34 18 0
Management	..	7 6 6	..	27 11 2	..	8 6 2	..	8 4 5	..	6 19 9	..	135 7 4	..	73 1 6	..	208 8 10
Other expenditure	..	..	..	3 18 0	..	0 15 6	..	1 7 3	..	2 8 0	..	12 2 4	102 0 0[2]	3 18 0	102 0 0	16 0 4
Total Expenditure ..	40 10 8	54 5 0	78 0 1	123 12 9	18 4 6	42 9 2	33 15 0	28 1 8	33 2 4	53 7 3	444 16 1	558 17 3	157 0 0	76 19 6	601 16 1	635 16 9
Balance	690 11 3	9 18 4	598 4 4	15 16 7	289 1 9	0 9 1	140 15 2	5 17 4	227 18 10	0 19 8	3,824 18 2	177 4 2½	1,855 19 7	10 12 0	5,680 17 9	187 16 2½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	660 0 0	..	550 0 0	..	250 0 0	..	129 0 0	..	150 0 0	..	3,550 2 1	25 8 11	1,820 0 0	..	5,370 2 1	25 8 11
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	30 11 3	9 18 4	48 4 4	15 16 7	39 1 9	0 9 1	11 15 2	5 17 4	77 18 10	0 19 8	274 16 1	51 15 3½	35 19 7	10 12 0	310 15 8	62 7 3½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits	27	24	63	52	19	21	13	13	32	34	..	..	6	4	330	324
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	1	3	13	2	2	3	3	8	4	..	..	..	..	25	23
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	..	1	3	17	4	5	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	15	43
Total	27	26	69	82	25	28	17	17	42	40	..	..	6	4	370	390
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	1		17		5		1		3		..		..		44	
Departures { By death ..	1, £20		..		..		1[2]		..		..		..		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise ..	1		4		2		..		5		..		2		22	
Number of members sick ..	9		11		4		5		9		..		1		72	
Period of sickness	34 w. 2 d.		66 w. 1 d.		11 w. 3 d.		30 w. 3 d.		24 w. 4 d.		..		52 w.		465 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		1 C., £2 *		..		..		..		1 C., £2 *	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

* Deaths of registered children.—[1] Error in District dues.—[2] Funeral donation not yet paid.—[3] Losses on mortgages.—[4] Including District members.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.

	1 Pioneer. Sale. 1862.		2 Shakespeare. Stratford. 1866.		3 Bairnsdale. Bairnsdale. 1872.		4 New Province. Traralgon. 1881.		5 Star of the South. Alberton. 1887.		6 Paynesville. Paynesville. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Gippsland District.	
Name of branch .. .. / Where situated .. .. / Year when established ..	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	879 4 6	12 13 3	355 14 6	15 18 8	606 9 0	0 8 5½	100 18 9	6 4 4	12 15 8¼	0 8 9¼	..	..	1,955 2 5¼	35 13 5¾	964 2 10	2 1 3	2,919 5 3¼	37 14 8¾
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	128 12 11	146 5 10	49 2 3½	65 10 9½	74 8 1	58 16 9	23 8 0	28 19 9	24 11 3½	19 7 6	29 6 2	25 15 7	329 8 9	344 16 2½	..	..	329 8 9	344 16 2½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 7 0	0 19 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	2 15 0	1 17 0	1 1 0	0 14 0	4 13 0	3 3 0	12 6 0	8 4 0	22 5 0	14 19 0	..	..	22 5 0	14 19 0
Interest	46 9 0	..	.. [2]	..	36 15 0	..	3 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	86 9 0	..	47 6 1	..	133 15 1	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54 18 10	31 7 4	54 18 10	31 7 4
Other receipts	..	2 11 6	..	0 8 7	..	43 12 6½ [4]	..	0 4 6	..	8 3 6½	0 1 0 [5]	6 13 6	0 1 0	61 14 2	..	22 8 0	0 1 0	84 2 2
Total Receipts ..	176 8 11	149 16 4	49 5 3½	66 1 4½	113 18 1	104 6 3½	27 14 0	29 18 3	29 4 3½	30 14 0½	41 13 2	40 13 1	438 3 9	421 9 4½	102 4 11	53 15 4	540 8 8	475 4 8½
Total	1,055 13 5	162 9 7	404 19 9½	82 0 0½	720 7 1	104 14 9	128 12 9	36 2 7	41 19 11¾	31 2 9¾	41 13 2	40 13 1	2,393 6 2¼	457 2 10¼	1,066 7 9	55 16 7	3,459 13 11¼	512 19 5¼
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	120 14 2	..	17 10 0	..	51 17 6	..	..	..	5 0 0	..	..	..	195 1 8	..	..	..	195 1 8	..
Medical attendance	..	107 8 9	..	52 16 9	..	58 2 6	..	21 10 0	..	21 18 0	..	17 10 0	..	279 6 0	..	..	..	279 6 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	17 14 8	12 18 9	6 7 0	4 13 0	10 10 0	7 1 0	3 10 6	2 2 6	9 12 0	3 5 0	7 4 8	1 7 1	54 18 10	31 7 4	..	..	54 18 10	31 7 4
Sub-Committee dues ..	..	8 6 6	..	3 4 0	..	4 5 6	..	1 8 6	..	0 10 0	..	0 12 0	..	18 6 6	..	..	..	18 6 6
Management	..	22 14 0	..	6 2 0	..	25 9 1	..	8 0 6	..	7 2 10	..	5 9 5	..	74 17 10	..	36 11 0	..	111 8 10
Other expenditure	..	1 1 0	1 14 6 [3]	1 12 6 [3]	..	0 14 6	..	0 12 0	..	..	..	10 17 0	1 14 6	14 17 0	..	6 11 6	1 14 6	21 8 6
Total Expenditure ..	138 8 10	152 9 0	25 11 6	68 8 3	62 7 6	95 12 7	3 10 6	33 13 6	14 12 0	32 15 10	7 4 8	35 15 6	251 15 0	418 14 8	..	43 2 6	251 15 0	461 17 2
Balance	917 4 7	10 0 7	379 8 3½	13 11 9½	657 19 7	9 2 2	125 2 3	2 9 1	27 7 11¾	−1 13 0¼	34 8 6	4 17 7	2,141 11 2¼	38 8 2¼	1,066 7 9	12 14 1	3,207 18 11¼	51 2 3¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	430 0 0	..	332 17 9	..	600 0 0	..	111 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	1,474 2 9	..	964 16 10	..	2,438 19 7	..
Invested in halls	440 19 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	440 19 6	..	..	..	440 19 6	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	46 5 1	10 0 7	46 10 6½	13 11 9½	57 19 7	9 2 2	13 17 3	2 9 1	25 14 11½	−1 13 0¼	34 8 6	4 17 7	224 15 11	38 8 2¼	101 10 11	12 14 1	326 6 10	51 2 3¼
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 13 0¼	..	..	..	1 13 0¼	..	..	..	1 13 0¼	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	29 15 1 [1]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29 15 1	..	..	..	29 15 1
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	78	77	29	31	41	43	9	12	..	9	..	3	..	..	..	..	157	175
Not entitled { Unfinancial ..	7	6	1	..	3	1	3	1	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	25
to benefits { New	4	3	1	1	2	1	7	1	25	10	..	28	..	..	..	..	39	44
Total	89	86	31	32	46	45	19	14	25	36	..	31	..	..	..	..	210	244
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	3		1		2		1		11		31		..		..		49	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	6		..		3		6		..		..		..		..		15	
Number of members sick ..	19		4		11		..		1		..		..		..		35	
Period of sickness	219 w. 2 d.		17 w. 3 d.		56 w.		..		5 w.		..		..		..		297 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	—		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] To the credit of the Hall Fund.—[2] The interest for 1888, £13 6s. 4d., will appear in 1889 balance-sheet.—[3] Error in Sub-Committee and District dues, the payments for first quarter of 1889 having been included.—[4] Including error in balance, £5 19s. 9½d.—[5] Error in District dues.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

	1 Carlton. Carlton. 1869.		2 Marquis of Normanby. Fitzroy. 1879.		3 Rose of Richmond. Richmond. 1879.		4 Exhibition. Fitzroy. 1880.		5 Mechanic. Melbourne. 1881.		6 Rose of Collingwood. Collingwood. 1882.		7 James Riddell. Hawthorn. 1884.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	207 10 3	2 9 7	270 13 6½	0 11 4	440 1 9	11 18 8½	536 16 0	1 8 3	210 12 6¾	3 10 2	145 8 2	16 8 2	223 14 4½	14 14 11½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	99 14 0	100 6 1	85 15 10¾	87 13 6½	120 6 6	116 2 5	147 19 1	138 14 1	52 5 0	50 7 7	155 10 5	141 10 0	87 2 5	76 2 7½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	6 12 6	3 14 0	3 13 0	2 5 0	6 3 6	3 15 0	11 10 6	6 8 0	4 1 0	1 18 0	16 1 0	9 11 6	6 13 6	4 5 0
Interest	9 0 0	..	8 9 7	..	29 0 0	..	21 10 0	..	1 11 6	..	5 0 0	..	16 5 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	8 11 0	..	5 1 6	..	9 9 0	1 0 0[3]	8 6 1	..	16 0 4	..	8 10 0	..	5 10 0
Total Receipts ..	115 6 6	112 11 1	97 18 5¾	95 0 0¼	155 10 0	129 6 5	181 19 7	153 8 2	57 17 6	68 5 11	176 11 5	159 11 6	110 0 11	85 17 7½
Total	322 16 9	115 0 8	368 12 0¼	95 11 4¼	595 11 9	141 5 1½	718 15 7	154 16 5	268 10 0¾	71 16 1	321 19 7	175 19 8	333 15 3½	100 12 7
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	54 4 2	..	35 6 8	..	42 13 4	..	88 12 4	..	4 13 4	..	27 11 8	..	16 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	60 8 2	..	57 10 4	..	84 9 6	..	79 13 6	..	41 0 9	..	92 7 0	..	60 1 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	22 10 6	6 2 9	17 8 3	5 0 9	27 9 3	7 8 11	34 3 0	9 9 4	14 9 0	3 16 9	34 3 9	9 2 6	20 1 1	5 6 6
Sub-Committee dues ..	..	6 7 0	..	5 4 6	..	7 13 0	..	9 17 0	..	3 19 6	..	9 9 6	..	5 7 0
Management	..	23 6 6	..	22 9 0	..	25 19 1	..	35 8 0	..	17 6 11	..	31 7 6	..	21 16 2
Other expenditure	..	9 17 6	..	3 13 0	..	10 4 5	..	14 15 5	..	1 19 1	..	10 3 11	..	6 2 3
Total Expenditure ..	76 14 8	106 1 11	52 14 11	93 17 7	70 2 7	135 14 11	122 15 4	149 3 3	19 2 4	68 3 0	61 15 5	152 10 5	36 17 9	98 13 8
Balance	246 2 1	8 18 9	315 17 1¼	1 13 9¼	525 9 2	5 10 2½	596 0 3	5 13 2	249 7 8¾	3 13 1	260 4 2	23 9 3	296 17 6½	1 18 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	200 0 0	..	220 9 7	..	475 0 0	..	550 0 0	..	242 11 6	..	180 0 0	..	257 2 7	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	46 2 1	8 18 9	95 7 6¼	1 13 9¼	50 9 2	5 10 2½	46 0 3	5 13 2	6 16 2¾	3 13 1	80 4 2	23 9 3	39 14 11½	1 18 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	6 2 4½[2]	..	9 7 6[4]	..	..	..	1 15 5[4]	..	65 11 4½[5]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	55	53	42	47	52	63	82	81	37	31	62	76	41	41
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	3	5	6	4	13	10	6	7	7	11	9	3	7	12
Not entitled to benefits { New	5	17	8	8	24	15	16	28	4	7	28	26	11	13
Total	63	75	56	59	89	88	104	116	48	49	99	105	59	66
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	19		10		18		29		9		26		14	
Departures .. { By death ..	2, £60[1]		1, £20		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	5		6		19		17		8		20		7	
Number of members sick ..	13		11		10		13		2		7		4	
Period of sickness	100 w. 2 d.		35 w. 2 d.		53 w. 1 d.		91 w. 2 d.		4 w. 4 d.		69 w. 5 d.		16 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] £20 funeral donation for 1887.—[2] To the credit of the Suspense Account.—[3] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[4] To the credit of the Benevolent Fund.—[5] To the credit of the Reserve Fund.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

EASTERN DISTRICT—continued.

	8 Park View. North Fitzroy. 1885.		9 Rees Miller. Richmond. 1886.		10 James Lester. Richmond. 1887.		11 Frankston. Frankston. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Eastern District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	83 14 9	1 7 4½	34 2 11	0 18 8	15 14 6	3 13 9	..	..	2,168 8 9¾	57 0 11½	338 12 0	4 8 6	2,507 0 9¾	61 9 5½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	67 1 9½	64 18 0½	37 7 5½	37 18 3½	31 0 0	29 12 3	8 3 9	10 19 1	892 6 3¾	854 3 11¾	..	..	892 6 3¾	854 3 11¾
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	6 18 0	4 7 0	4 11 4½	3 7 7½	1 13 6	2 6 6	10 10 0	10 3 0	78 7 10½	52 0 7½	..	..	78 7 10½	52 0 7½
Interest	3 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	93 16 1	..	17 13 0	..	111 9 1	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	213 13 10	55 13 6	213 13 10	55 13 6
Other receipts	2 13 4[1]	18 9 0	..	10 1 9	..	2 0 3	..	5 9 0	3 13 4	97 7 11	0 7 0	75 7 7	4 0 4	172 15 6
Total Receipts	79 13 1½	87 14 0½	41 18 10	51 7 8	32 13 6	33 19 0	18 13 9	26 11 1	1,068 3 7¼	1,003 12 6¼	231 13 10	131 1 1	1,299 17 5¼	1,134 13 7¼
Total	163 7 10½	89 1 5	76 1 9	52 6 4	48 8 0	37 12 9	18 13 9	26 11 1	3,236 12 5	1,060 13 5⅝	570 5 10	135 9 7	3,806 18 3	1,196 3 0⅝
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	13 13 4	..	30 17 2	..	3 3 4	..	..	..	317 12 0	..	..	..	317 12 0	..
Medical attendance	..	53 5 11	..	30 3 6	..	17 16 0	..	6 0 0	..	582 16 5	..	..	..	582 16 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	102 0 0	..	102 0 0	..
District dues	15 13 0	4 0 9	10 3 9	2 8 9	12 14 6	2 8 3	4 17 9	0 8 3	213 13 10	55 13 6	..	..	213 13 10	55 13 6
Sub-Committee dues	..	4 3 0	..	2 11 0	..	0 11 0	..	0 10 6	..	55 13 0	..	..	..	55 13 0
Management	..	20 9 0	..	11 3 0	..	7 10 1	..	2 10 9	..	219 6 0	..	57 2 9	..	276 8 9
Other expenditure	..	4 12 2	..	2 18 0	..	3 2 9	..	8 15 4	..	76 3 10	..	78 1 3	..	154 5 1
Total Expenditure	29 6 4	86 10 10	41 0 11	49 4 3	15 17 10	31 8 1	4 17 9	18 4 10	531 5 10	989 12 9	102 0 0	135 4 0	633 5 10	1,124 16 9
Balance	134 1 6½	2 10 7	35 0 10	3 2 1	32 10 2	6 4 8	13 16 0	8 6 3	2,705 6 7	71 0 8¾	468 5 10	0 5 7	3,173 12 5	71 6 3¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	100 0 0	..	20 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	2,245 3 8	..	425 0 0	..	2,670 3 8	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	34 1 6½	2 10 7	15 0 10	3 2 1	32 10 2	6 4 8	13 16 0	8 6 3	460 2 11	71 0 8¾	43 5 10	0 5 7	503 8 9	71 6 3¾
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	82 16 8	..	222 12 8[2]	..	305 9 4
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	24	32	12	15	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	407	451
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	10	3	4	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	65
Not entitled to benefits { New	12	19	11	24	28	4	..	21	..	..	..	..	147	182
Total	46	54	27	43	28	22	..	21	..	..	..	..	619	698
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	20		24		5		21		..		..		195	
Departures { By death	..		..		1, £20		..		..		..		4, £100	
Departures { Otherwise	12		8		10		..		..		..		112	
Number of members sick	7		4		1		..		..		..		72	
Period of sickness	13 w. 4 d.		30 w. 5 d.		3 w. 1 d.		..		..		..		419 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1 C., £2 *		..		..		..		..		..		1 C., £2 *	

* Deaths of registered children.—[1] Error in balance, £2, and sick pay from other lodges, 13s. 4d.—[2] To the credit of the Building Fund.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

	1 Felix. Melbourne. 1848.		2 Victoria. Melbourne. 1849.		3 Britannia. Collingwood. 1850.		4 Brighton Union. Brighton. 1850.		5 Perseverance. Williamstown. 1858.		6 Fitzroy. Fitzroy. 1860.		7 Australian. Port Melbourne. 1860.		8 Sons of Freedom. South Melbourne. 1860.		9 Windsor. Windsor. 1861.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,451 17 7	£ s. d. 36 9 1	£ s. d. 1,511 6 10	£ s. d. 10 16 1	£ s. d. 1,587 17 9	£ s. d. 29 2 1	£ s. d. 905 4 5½	£ s. d. 15 4 2½	£ s. d. 471 1 5	£ s. d. 5 12 8½	£ s. d. 495 19 7	£ s. d. 0 8 10½	£ s. d. 971 6 6	£ s. d. 18 11 10	£ s. d. 204 14 7	£ s. d. 1 1 1½	£ s. d. 1,055 11 1¼	£ s. d. 0 17 1¼
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	351 7 6	360 8 7	234 11 1	239 11 2	313 16 0	343 14 11	93 17 6½	97 17 2½	169 9 0	193 18 11	65 9 10	82 16 8	374 7 11	351 7 1	167 2 1	233 9 3½	352 6 9¼	319 10 5¼
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	16 4 0	7 3 0	15 6 0	8 10 0	9 13 0	4 9 0	2 4 0	1 6 0	2 13 0	2 7 6	5 6 0	2 14 6	11 4 0	4 16 0	9 6 0	4 16 0	11 19 0	6 4 0
Interest	103 10 0	..	115 2 3	..	104 19 0	..	37 10 0	..	26 12 0	..	43 11 6	..	64 11 4	..	..	..	52 7 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	14 5 3	..	24 18 0	2 0 0[4]	11 2 6	..	10 6 6	1 13 4[4]	12 18 0	..	2 16 6	..	57 14 3	..	22 9 0	..	30 9 7
Total Receipts	471 1 6	381 16 10	364 19 4	272 19 2	430 8 0	359 6 5	133 11 6½	109 9 8½	200 7 4	209 4 5	114 7 4	88 7 8	450 3 3	413 17 4	176 8 1	260 14 3½	416 13 0¼	356 4 0¼
Total	1,922 19 1	418 5 11	1,876 6 2	283 15 3	2,018 5 9	388 8 6	1,038 16 0	124 13 11	671 8 9	214 17 1½	610 6 11	88 16 6½	1,421 9 9	432 9 2	381 2 8	261 15 5	1,472 4 1½	357 1 1½
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	280 16 8	..	186 0 0	..	242 2 6	..	31 6 8	..	101 5 6	..	38 16 8	..	244 19 2	..	155 15 0	..	237 12 6	..
Medical attendance	..	249 0 3	..	168 6 6	..	249 13 4	..	70 8 3	..	145 16 1	..	52 13 0	..	255 7 6	..	209 8 6	..	264 12 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	60 6 0	14 3 9	42 0 8	9 11 8	51 18 0	15 4 9	14 12 6	3 16 6	27 10 6	7 3 9	11 16 0	2 12 3	61 12 3	14 18 3	34 19 6	8 7 6	57 14 4	13 19 0
Sub-Committee dues	..	22 12 6	..	15 0 0	..	20 1 6	..	6 4 0	..	10 19 6	..	4 2 6	..	23 10 0	..	13 10 0	..	22 15 6
Management	..	79 16 11	..	56 13 5	..	72 9 9	..	21 4 3	..	37 10 9	..	23 6 6	..	79 2 4	..	23 0 4	..	50 17 6
Other expenditure	9 0 0[1]	12 11 3	..	22 8 6[2]	..	27 5 8[5]	..	4 0 3	..	6 12 10	..	1 13 1	..	20 7 1	..	5 13 11	..	4 16 4
Total Expenditure	350 2 8	378 4 8	228 0 8	272 0 1	294 0 6	384 15 0	45 19 2	105 13 3	128 16 0	208 2 11	50 12 8	84 7 4	306 11 5	393 5 2	190 14 6	260 0 3	295 6 10	357 1 1
Balance	1,572 16 5	40 1 3	1,648 5 6	11 15 2	1,724 5 3	3 13 6	992 16 10	19 0 8	542 12 9	6 14 2½	559 14 3	4 9 2½	1,114 18 4	39 4 0	190 8 2	1 15 2	1,176 17 3½	0 0 0½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	1,400 0 0	..	1,610 0 0	..	1,635 0 0	..	875 0 0	..	440 0 0	..	554 6 2	..	1,051 13 4	..	139 15 0	..	1,066 5 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	172 16 5	40 1 3	38 5 6	11 15 2	89 5 3	3 13 6	117 16 10	19 0 8	102 12 9	6 14 2½	5 8 1	4 9 2½	63 5 0	39 4 0	50 13 2	1 15 2	110 12 3½	0 0 0½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fnd.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	25 4 2[3]	..	45 8 10[6]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	500 4 8[7]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	193	209	116	135	183	181	58	56	109	92	30	35	207	215	123	120	208	211
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	11	7	9	7	10	17	4	2	4	14	3	4	19	10	7	5	7	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	25	24	22	37	13	21	3	4	5	6	6	10	29	16	6	18	11	30
Total	229	240	147	179	206	219	65	62	118	112	39	49	255	241	136	143	226	247
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	27		40		24		4		6		11		17		18		33	
Departures { By death	1, £20		2, £20[8]		3, £60		..		2, £40		..		2, £40		4, £80		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	15		6		8		7		10		1		29		7		10	
Number of members sick	34		25		40		9		20		4		38		23		34	
Period of sickness	381 w. 2 d.		262 w. 5 d.		360 w. 4 d.		31 w. 2 d.		198 w.		77 w. 5 d.		276 w. 5 d.		155 w. 5 d.		279 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	4, £40		2, £20		2, £20		..		..		1 C., £2 *		1 C., £1 *		1, £10		1 C., £2 *	

* Deaths of registered children.——[1] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.——[2] Including 12s. to District Widows and Orphans' Fund.——[3] To credit of Benevolent Fund.——[4] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.——[5] Including £1 16s. to District Widows and Orphans' Fund.——[6] To credit of Benevolent and other funds.——[7] Nominal value of hall, which was procured independent of above funds.——[8] One member not entitled to benefits.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	10 Nil Desperandum. Blackwood. 1866.		11 Werribee. Bacchus Marsh. 1869.		12 Royal Alfred. West Melbourne. 1869.		13 Waranga. Rushworth. 1869.		14 Rose of Yarraville. Yarraville. 1879.		15 Crown of Success. Footscray. 1881.		16 Fernside. South Melbourne. 1882.		17 Ascot Vale. Newmarket. 1883.		18 Murchison. Murchison. 1886.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	207 7 6½	12 8 6½	96 2 11	44 2 5	449 8 1	13 16 10	334 0 9	5 1 1	317 15 6	7 10 6	130 15 2	9 4 2	86 19 10	0 16 5	94 9 2	4 10 4	60 4 8	10 0 7
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	45 4 2½	36 4 4½	14 16 5	9 17 1	123 18 0	120 11 5	35 8 0	37 4 6	82 5 8	86 2 10	72 11 9	77 19 7	34 14 5	39 2 0	35 0 4	38 7 11	45 17 6	44 14 8
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 7 0	1 4 6	0 4 0	3 4 0	2 1 0	3 17 0 [3]	2 19 0	1 17 6	1 2 6	3 13 0	1 12 0	1 19 0	1 0 0	3 18 0	3 2 0	3 10 0	2 0 0
Interest	10 0 0	..	2 10 4	2 5 8	19 7 5	..	..	..	23 2 6	..	6 10 0	..	..	..	2 2 4	..	1 4 9	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	13 5 6	..	..	2 2 0 [2]	11 5 8	..	3 1 6	..	7 1 5	..	7 10 0	..	8 10 0	..	5 5 9	..	4 2 4
Total Receipts	55 4 2½	49 16 10½	18 11 3	12 6 9	148 11 5	133 18 1	39 5 0	43 5 0	107 5 8	94 6 9	82 14 9	87 1 7	36 13 5	48 12 0	41 0 8	46 15 8	50 12 3	50 17 0
Total	262 11 9	62 5 5	114 14 2	56 9 2	597 19 6	147 14 11	373 5 9	48 6 1	425 1 2	101 17 3	213 9 11	96 5 9	123 13 3	49 8 5	135 9 10	51 6 0	110 16 11	60 17 7
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	122 2 4	..	7 0 0	..	114 19 2	..	38 0 10	..	44 13 4	..	36 11 8	..	12 0 0	..	31 3 4	..	5 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	31 14 0	..	5 19 6	..	78 8 5	..	27 15 0	..	58 7 10	..	62 0 10	..	30 19 3	..	23 18 6	..	38 7 8
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	7 2 6	2 0 3	3 0 6	0 15 9	19 11 0	5 0 0	6 2 6	1 10 0	13 7 0	3 3 9	13 1 0	3 1 0	6 9 6	1 19 6	6 2 6	1 15 9	7 11 6	2 4 9
Sub-Committee dues	..	3 4 6	..	1 1 0	..	7 19 0	..	2 3 6	..	5 0 6	..	4 16 0	..	2 12 0	..	2 5 6	..	2 19 3
Management	..	17 0 0	..	0 17 0	..	39 14 10	..	6 8 0	..	17 15 9	..	17 10 6	..	13 6 3	..	15 0 5	..	13 16 3
Other expenditure	..	..	..	2 1 4	..	2 18 2	..	4 4 0	..	9 16 0	..	5 13 5	..	0 5 9 [5]	..	1 12 3 [6]	..	..
Total Expenditure	129 4 10	53 18 9	10 0 6	10 14 7	134 10 2	134 0 5	44 3 4	42 0 6	58 0 4	94 3 10	49 12 8	93 1 9	18 9 6	49 2 9	37 5 10	44 12 5	12 11 6	57 7 11
Balance	133 6 11	8 6 8	104 13 8	45 14 7	463 9 4	13 14 6	329 2 5	6 5 7	367 0 10	7 13 5	163 17 3	3 4 0	105 3 9	0 5 8	98 4 0	6 13 7	98 5 5	3 9 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	100 0 0	..	86 5 5	40 0 0	389 7 0	..	307 8 0	..	320 0 0	..	129 19 0	..	..	..	75 0 0	..	50 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	33 6 11	8 6 8	18 8 3	5 14 7	74 2 4	13 14 6	21 14 5	6 5 7	47 0 10	7 13 5	33 18 3	3 4 0	105 3 9	0 5 8	23 4 0	6 13 7	48 5 5	3 9 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	27	28	10	11	67	70	21	20	48	51	34	39	9	20	17	17	20	24
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	3	..	..	..	4	2	1	1	..	..	4	..	7	4	1	3	4	..
Not entitled to benefits: New	2	..	1	1	11	6	..	8	3	1	8	6	14	5	4	8	9	6
Total	32	28	11	12	82	78	22	29	51	52	46	45	30	29	22	28	33	30
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	..		1		6		8		1		7		5		9		6	
Departures: By death	3, £40 [1]		..		3, £60		..		..		1, £20		..		..		..	
Departures: Otherwise	1		..		7		1		..		7		6		3		9	
Number of members sick	12		3		12		3		9		8		3		3		1	
Period of sickness	131 w. 4 d.		7 w.		179 w. 5 d.		39 w. 3 d.		44 w. 4 d.		38 w. 2 d.		12 w.		31 w. 4 d.		5 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		2, £20		..		..		1, £5 [4]		..		..		..	

[1] Funeral donation not paid for one member.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[3] Secretary states interest, £23 11s. 8d., will be credited in 1889 balance-sheet.—[4] Husband not entitled to full benefits.—[5] Including error in Sub-Committee dues, 6d.—[6] Including error in Sub-Committee dues, 2s.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	19 University. North Melbourne. 1887.		20 Malvern. Malvern. 1887.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		District Widows and Orphans' and Benevolent Funds.		Total of Melbourne District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	W. and O. Fund.	Benevolent Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 16 11 1	£ s. d. 9 7 0	£ s. d. 15 6 7	£ s. d. 2 4 5½	£ s. d. 10,464 1 1¾	£ s. d. 237 5 5¼	£ s. d. 5,623 1 6	£ s. d. 70 6 11	£ s. d. 386 9 2	£ s. d. 158 17 5	£ s. d. [3] 16,473 11 9¼	£ s. d. 466 9 9¼[3]
Receipts.												
Contributions	29 12 9	23 11 7	69 3 7½	66 15 10½	2,711 0 4¾	2,803 6 1¼	..	..	2 8 0[2]	..	2,713 8 4¾	2,803 6 1¼
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	7 9 0	5 6 6	10 14 7	6 4 5	125 1 7	68 4 5	..	..	..	..	125 1 7	68 4 5
Interest	..	..	..	..	613 0 8	2 5 8	359 14 10	..	25 0 0	5 16 0	997 15 6	8 1 8
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	468 17 9	117 19 1	..	..	468 17 9	117 19 1
Other receipts	..	4 14 6	..	8 10 6	5 15 4	260 6 9	..	73 9 1	..	..	5 15 4	333 15 10
Total Receipts	37 1 9	33 12 7	79 18 2½	81 10 9½	3,454 17 11¾	3,134 2 11¼	828 12 7	191 8 2	27 8 0	5 16 0	4,310 18 6¾	3,331 7 1¼
Total	53 12 10	42 19 7	95 4 9½	83 15 3	13,918 19 1	3,371 8 4½	6,451 14 1	261 15 1	413 17 2	164 13 5	20,784 10 4	3,797 16 10½
Expenditure.												
Sick pay	..	..	1 0 0	..	1,931 5 4	..	..	..	..	..	1,931 5 4	..
Medical attendance	..	22 3 9	..	54 7 3	..	2,099 8 2	..	..	..	..	..	2,099 8 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	540 0 0	..	..	..	540 0 0	..
District dues	6 10 0	1 11 3	17 10 0	4 19 8	468 17 9	117 19 1	..	..	..	..	468 17 9	117 19 1
Sub-Committee dues	..	..	..	2 10 0	..	173 6 9	..	..	..	..	..	173 6 9
Management	..	11 16 7	..	18 8 0	..	615 15 4	..	128 11 2	..	..	..	744 6 6
Other expenditure	..	5 18 6	..	3 10 4	9 0 0	141 8 8	2 3 5[1]	68 0 0	..	12 9 0	11 3 5	221 17 8
Total Expenditure	6 10 0	41 10 1	18 10 0	83 15 3	2,409 3 1	3,147 18 0	542 3 5	196 11 2	..	12 9 0	2,951 6 6	3,356 18 2
Balance	47 2 10	1 9 6	76 14 9½	..	11,509 16 0	223 10 4½	5,909 10 8[1]	65 3 11	413 17 2	152 4 5	17,833 3 10	440 18 8½
Disposal of Funds.												
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	10,229 18 11	40 0 0	5,811 0 0	64 0 0	400 0 0	150 0 0	16,440 18 11	254 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	47 2 10	1 9 6	76 14 9½	..	1,279 17 1	183 10 4½	98 10 8	1 3 11	13 17 2	2 4 5	1,392 4 11	186 18 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	570 17 8	..	..	..	..	..	570 17 8
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	26	3	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,483	1,588
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	98	87
Not entitled to benefits { New	26	16	31	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	229	251
Total	26	42	34	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,810	1,926
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.												
Admitted	16		30		..		..		..		269	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		23, £420	
Departures { Otherwise	..		3		..		..		..		130	
Number of members sick	..		1		..		..		..		280	
Period of sickness	..		1 w.		..		..		..		2,514 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		12, £115; 3 C., £5*	

SUMMARY.

	Ballarat District.		Bendigo District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 5,383 5 7	£ s. d. 204 18 4¼	£ s. d. 2,282 0 8	£ s. d. 85 19 11
Contributions	875 13 1	870 7 5¼	567 4 6	545 17 5
Special levies	49 2 0	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	25 6 6	18 5 6	15 10 6	7 2 6
Interest	293 8 3	..	100 7 7	..
District dues	125 16 10	64 10 8	115 19 6	36 6 6
Other receipts	35 16 8	67 17 1	..	32 8 11
Total Receipts	1,405 3 4	1,021 0 8¼	799 2 1	621 15 4
Total	6,788 8 11	1,225 19 0½	3,081 2 9	707 15 3
Sick pay	737 5 0	..	592 12 8	..
Medical attendance	..	622 4 7	..	355 4 6
Funeral donations	174 0 0	..	162 0 0	..
District dues	125 16 10	64 10 8	115 19 6	36 6 6
Sub-Committee dues	..	55 10 2	..	36 0 6
Management	..	241 3 7	..	167 11 1
Other expenditure	..	63 5 9	..	23 2 0
Total Expenditure	1,037 1 10	1,046 14 9	870 12 2	618 4 7
Balance	5,751 7 1	179 4 3½	2,210 10 7	89 10 8
Invested at interest	5,066 1 9	..	2,172 11 6	50 3 7
Invested in halls	137 15 4	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	547 10 0	179 4 3½	37 19 1	39 7 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	19 12 6	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	527	523	355	340
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	54	44	10	12
Not entitled to benefits { New	41	58	12	19
Total	622	625	377	371
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.				
Admitted	62		25	
Departures { By death	9, £160		7, £140	
Departures { Otherwise	50		24	
Number of members sick	123		82	
Period of sickness	936 w.		884 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10; 2 C., £4*		2, £20; 1 C., £2*	

* Deaths of registered children.—[1] Difference between statements of lodges and District as to District dues.—[2] £1 16s. from members of Britannia Lodge, and 12s. from members of Victoria Lodge.—[3] These amounts disagree with the balances at end of 1887, as they include the Widows and Orphans' and Benevolent Funds' balances.

SUMMARY—continued.

Name of District	Castlemaine District.		Gippsland District.		Eastern District.		Melbourne District.		Sub-Committee of Management Funds.				The Whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Extension Fund.	Management Fund.	Goods Fund.	Total.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental, &c., Funds.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 5,388 9 9	£ s. d. 183 3 0½	£ s. d. 2,919 5 3¼	£ s. d. 37 14 8¾	£ s. d. 2,507 0 9¾	£ s. d. 61 9 5½	£ s. d. 16,473 11 9¼	£ s. d. 466 9 9¼	£ s. d. 191 7 7	£ s. d. 479 0 3	£ s. d. 229 2 1	£ s. d. 899 9 11	£ s. d. 34,953 13 10¼[2]	£ s. d. 1,939 5 2¼[2]
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	550 19 7	529 4 1½	329 8 9	344 16 2½	892 6 3¾	854 3 11¾	2,713 8 4¾	2,803 6 1¼	..	..	..	..	5,929 0 7½	5,947 15 3¼
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49 2 0	..
Initiation fees, &c.	19 8 0	10 5 5	22 5 0	14 19 0	78 7 10½	52 0 7½	125 1 7	68 4 5	..	..	..	..	285 19 5½	170 17 5½
Interest	240 19 3	2 6 2	133 15 1	..	111 9 1	..	997 15 6	8 1 8	4 0 0	27 10 0	9 0 0	40 10 0	1,877 14 9	50 17 10
District dues	80 13 7	69 17 1	54 18 10	31 7 4	213 13 10	55 13 6	468 17 9	117 19 1	31 5 3[1]	342 9 8[1]	..	373 14 11	1,060 0 4	749 9 1
Other receipts	2 3 8	28 17 1½	0 1 0	84 2 2	4 0 4	172 15 6	5 15 4	333 15 10	..	4 11 0	160 13 11	165 4 11	47 17 0	885 1 6½
Total Receipts	894 4 1	640 9 11	540 8 8	475 4 8½	1,299 17 5¼	1,134 13 7¼	4,310 18 6¾	3,331 7 1¼	35 5 3	374 10 8	169 13 11	579 9 10	9,249 14 2	7,804 1 2¼
Total	6,282 13 10	823 12 11½	3,459 13 11¼	512 19 5¼	3,806 18 3	1,196 3 0¾	20,784 10 4	3,797 16 10½	226 12 10	853 10 11	398 16 0	1,478 19 9	44,203 8 0¼	9,743 6 4½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	377 2 6	..	195 1 8	..	317 12 0	..	1,931 5 4	..	..	..	..	..	4,150 19 2	..
Medical attendance	..	306 12 6	..	279 6 0	..	582 16 5	..	2,099 8 2	..	..	..	..	..	4,245 12 2
Funeral donations	42 0 0	..	..	..	102 0 0	..	540 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	1,020 0 0	..
District dues	80 13 7	69 17 1	54 18 10	31 7 4	213 13 10	55 13 6	468 17 9	117 19 1	..	..	..	..	1,060 0 4	375 14 2
Sub-Committee dues	..	34 18 0	..	18 6 6	..	55 13 0	..	173 6 9	..	..	..	..	..	373 14 11
Management	..	208 8 10	..	111 8 10	..	276 8 9	..	744 6 6	33 16 10	457 9 2	..	491 6 0	..	2,240 13 7
Other expenditure	102 0 0	16 0 4	1 14 6	21 8 6	..	154 5 1	11 3 5	221 17 8	..	70 16 6	132 14 6	203 11 0	114 17 11	703 10 4
Total Expenditure	601 16 1	635 16 9	251 15 0	461 17 2	633 5 10	1,124 16 9	2,951 6 6	3,356 18 2	33 16 10	528 5 8	132 14 6	694 17 0	6,345 17 5	7,939 5 2
Balance	5,680 17 9	187 16 2½	3,207 18 11¼	51 2 3¼	3,173 12 5	71 6 3¾	17,833 3 10	440 18 8½	192 16 0	325 5 3	266 1 6	784 2 9	37,857 10 7¼	1,804 1 2½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	5,370 2 1	25 8 11	2,438 19 7	..	2,670 3 8	..	16,440 18 11	254 0 0	100 0 0	300 0 0	100 0 0	500 0 0	34,158 17 6	829 12 6
Invested in halls	..	100 0 0	440 19 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	578 14 10	100 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	310 15 8	62 7 3½	326 6 10	51 2 3¼	503 8 9	71 6 3¾	1,392 4 11	186 18 8½	92 16 0	25 5 3	166 1 6	284 2 9	3,118 5 3	874 8 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	1 13 0¼	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 13 0¼	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	29 15 1	..	305 9 4	..	570 17 8	..	..	..	..	..	925 14 7
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	330	324	157	175	407	451	1,483	1,588	..	..	..	..	3,259	3,401
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	25	23	14	25	65	65	98	87	..	..	..	..	266	256
Not entitled to benefits { New	15	43	39	44	147	182	229	251	..	..	..	..	483	597
Total	370	390	210	244	619	698	1,810	1,926	..	..	..	..	4,008	4,254
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	44		49		195		269			..			644[3]	
Departures { By death	2, £40		..		4, £100		23, £420			..			45, £860	
Departures { Otherwise	22		15		112		130			..			353[4]	
Number of members sick	72		35		72		280			..			664	
Period of sickness	465 w. 1 d.		297 w. 5 d.		419 w. 1 d.		2,514 w. 2 d.			..			5,516 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1 C., £2 *		..		1 C., £2 *		12, £115; 3 C., £5 *			..			15, £145; 8 C., £15 *	

* Deaths of registered children.—[1] Sub-Committee dues, making a total of £373 14s. 11d.—[2] The balances of the Widows and Orphans' Fund and Benevolent Fund are included in these amounts.—[3] Forty-eight of these were admitted by clearance.—[4] Forty-one of these left by clearance.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS.

	1 Acorn. Fitzroy. 1861.		2 Pioneer. Melbourne. 1867.		3 Anglesea. Brunswick. 1866.		4 Mistletoe. Melbourne. 1866.		5 Olive Branch. Carlton. 1866.		6 Stonehenge. Fitzroy. 1867.		7 Royal Oak. South Melbourne. 1867.		8 Prince of Wales. Fitzroy. 1867.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,677 5 8½	£ s. d. 73 18 6½	£ s. d. 1,912 16 1½	£ s. d. 180 15 10	£ s. d. 478 8 2½	£ s. d. 66 13 3	£ s. d. 1,090 14 8½	£ s. d. 4 0 7	£ s. d. 202 8 11½	£ s. d. −3 3 10½	£ s. d. 1,408 12 4¾	£ s. d. 490 10 3¾	£ s. d. 936 18 2¼	£ s. d. 160 19 3¾	£ s. d. 461 10 2	£ s. d. 14 5 9
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	385 16 7	448 8 7	323 17 5	381 0 11	274 6 10	342 18 10	275 16 10	315 8 4	96 7 4½	121 0 10½	264 12 11	303 11 1	460 6 10	548 4 4	183 10 7½	218 2 7½
Special Levies	..	..	..	..	..	9 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	18 18 6	15 15 0	19 4 0	14 8 6	24 12 6	17 0 0	20 12 6	13 8 0	7 10 6	4 0 0	28 18 6	20 5 6	19 7 0	15 2 6	13 19 6	12 2 6
Interest	96 0 11	4 0 0	124 8 2	13 11 4	24 6 11	..	75 2 0	..	12 10 10	..	91 6 10¼	24 14 10	67 6 6	..	27 17 2	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	6 15 6	7 4 0[1]	6 1 0	26 0 3½[2]	9 14 6	0 16 0[4]	9 17 6	..	14 16 3	..	31 16 6	100 0 0[6]	50 14 0	0 6 8[4]	11 0 6
Total Receipts	500 16 0	474 19 1	474 13 7	415 1 9	349 6 6½	378 13 4	372 7 4	338 13 10	116 8 8½	139 17 1½	384 18 3¼	380 7 11	647 0 4	614 0 10	225 13 11½	241 5 7½
Total	2,178 1 8½	548 17 7½	2,387 9 8½	595 17 7	827 14 9	445 6 7	1,463 2 0½	342 14 5	318 17 8	136 13 3	1,793 10 8	870 18 2¾	1,583 18 6¼	775 0 1¾	687 4 1½	255 11 4½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	253 19 0	..	148 8 4	..	208 10 10	..	110 3 0	..	82 0 0	..	153 9 0	..	360 14 2	..	119 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	271 18 8	..	261 12 9	..	249 4 6	..	219 1 6	..	78 2 0	..	188 6 7¾	..	375 11 0	..	140 13 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	92 5 6	28 13 6	76 0 6	24 7 0	62 9 6	29 3 6	63 19 6	19 2 0	19 16 6	8 4 6	63 6 6	19 5 6	106 5 6	34 6 0	44 11 0	13 7 0
Management	..	103 3 11	..	94 9 4	..	61 12 6	..	81 12 0	..	31 16 0	..	106 0 9	..	123 12 4	..	57 0 3
Other expenditure	..	40 9 8	..	20 13 0	..	47 4 4½	..	12 0 5	..	18 1 0	..	34 14 6	..	140 18 6[6]	10 0 0[7]	14 8 3
Total Expenditure	346 4 6	444 5 9	224 8 10	401 2 1	271 0 4	387 4 10½	174 2 6	331 15 11	101 16 6	136 3 6	216 15 6	348 7 4¾	466 19 8	674 7 10	174 7 8	225 9 3
Balance	1,831 17 2½	104 11 10½	2,163 0 10½	194 15 6	556 14 5	58 1 8½	1,288 19 6½	10 18 6	217 1 2	0 9 9	1,576 15 2	522 10 10	1,116 18 10¼	100 12 3¾	512 16 5½	30 2 1½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,831 0 0	86 8 8	2,163 0 10½	194 15 6	547 12 0	..	1,285 18 1	..	210 9 3	..	1,576 15 2	517 3 3	1,116 18 10¼	99 11 8¾	512 16 5½	30 2 1½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	0 17 2½	18 3 2½	..	..	9 2 5	58 1 8½	3 1 5½	10 18 6	6 11 11	0 9 9	..	5 7 7	..	1 0 7	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	269	285	212	224	165	195	154	168	52	41	192	191	308	317	110	118
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	34	23	17	19	15	10	..	12	10	12	..	21	20	17	20	19
Not entitled to benefits { New	19	27	15	13	12	21	24	14	..	8	7	11	17	14	18	21
Total	322	335	244	256	192	226	178	194	62	61	199	223	345	348	148	158
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	43		37		48		35		10		56		42		32	
Departures { By death	5, £100.		2, £40.		4, £60.[3]		2, £20.[5]		..		3, £60.		6, £120.		1, £20.	
Departures { Otherwise	25		23		10		17		11		29		33		21	
Number of members sick	34		28		40		20		9		27		53		23	
Period of sickness	352 w. 3 d.		191 w.		247 w. 2 d.		118 w. 3 d.		163 w½		218 w. 5 d.		595 w. 4 d.		159 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20.		2, £20.		—		2, £20.		..		1, £10.		2, £20.		2, £20.[8]	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Received from Annual Gala Fund.—[2] Vote from Incidental Fund, £22 19s. 3½d.; and received from Gala Fund, £3 1s.—[3] Funeral donation for one member not yet paid.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[5] One member not entitled to benefits.—[6] £100 transferred from Incidental to Sick and Funeral Fund.—[7] Funeral donation not yet received from Grand Lodge.—[8] Including one widow, £10.

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Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	9 Star of Richmond. Richmond. 1867.		10 Shannon. Collingwood. 1867.		11 Royal Oak. Ballarat. 1867.		12 Ancient Briton. Ballarat. 1867.		13 Shamrock. Coburg. 1867.		14 Prince Arthur. Melbourne. 1867.		15 Britannia. Port Melbourne. 1867.		16 Trafalgar. Williamstown. 1867.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	369 4 3½	−12 5 1½	891 14 2	8 14 7	83 2 7	58 18 11	179 1 9¾	9 18 1¾	314 4 0½	50 3 4	732 9 10½	0 1 4½	336 7 3½	47 16 11½	534 12 7½	53 12 11½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	200 13 6	213 19 6	269 15 11	329 9 3	85 15 1	108 6 11	62 0 3	70 14 6	83 9 9	97 0 9	161 4 0½	190 1 0½	185 13 5	229 1 5	282 4 2	320 2 2
Special levies	..	13 2 0[3]	..	2 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	15 7 0	11 5 0	2 19 0	4 0 6	2 18 0	2 7 6	5 6 3	5 8 9	5 7 6	3 5 0	8 15 0	7 4 6	13 3 6	10 17 6	6 19 6	10 7 3
Interest	11 4 0	..	42 15 0	..	3 15 5	3 4 4	10 11 4	..	23 8 0	..	42 15 0	..	9 16 10	..	30 1 2	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	10 17 0	..	14 4 3	5 9 0[3]	20 5 10	..	17 6 0	2 5 0[3]	8 0 9	..	12 15 6	..	21 13 6	5 0 6[3]	69 7 3
Total Receipts	227 4 6	249 3 6	315 9 11	350 12 0	97 17 6	134 4 7	77 17 10	93 9 3	114 10 3	108 6 6	212 14 0½	210 1 0½	208 13 9	261 12 5	324 5 4	399 16 8
Total	596 8 9½	236 18 4½	1,207 4 1	359 6 7	181 0 1	193 3 6	256 19 7¾	103 7 4¾	428 14 3½	158 9 10	945 3 11	210 2 5	545 1 0½	309 9 4½	858 17 11½	453 9 7½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	139 16 8	..	243 3 0	..	89 0 10	..	33 6 8	..	59 6 8	..	103 9 2	..	113 5 0	..	158 15 0	..
Medical attendance	..	190 18 3	..	235 17 10	..	57 12 6	..	52 2 11	..	64 1 6	..	129 13 0	..	154 13 0	..	236 12 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	44 13 0	13 13 6	47 17 0	14 19 0	18 4 6	6 19 4	14 12 0	4 4 0	18 9 0	6 10 6	37 3 6	11 0 10	42 5 6	14 7 4½	59 17 6½	22 11 1½
Management	..	47 16 0	..	76 19 5	..	32 11 9	..	28 4 3	..	31 3 9	..	54 0 1	..	58 10 9	..	59 4 9
Other expenditure	13 2 0[1]	9 19 7	4 1 3[1]	11 5 1	0 6 1[4]	21 14 9	..	10 18 7	..	2 2 0	..	13 17 5	..	24 2 6	..	53 16 0[6]
Total Expenditure	197 11 8	262 7 4	295 1 3	339 1 4	107 11 5	118 18 4	47 18 8	95 9 9	77 15 8	103 17 9	140 12 8	208 11 4	155 10 6	251 13 7½	218 12 6½	372 4 2½
Balance	398 17 1½	−25 8 11½	912 2 10	20 5 3	73 8 8	74 5 2	209 0 11¾	7 17 7¾	350 18 7½	54 12 1	804 11 3	1 11 1	389 10 6½	57 15 9	640 5 5	81 5 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	298 5 1	..	890 0 0	..	70 0 0	61 10 0	209 0 0	..	336 0 0	44 0 0	711 5 4	..	389 10 6½	9 2 9½	640 5 5	39 4 8
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	75 3 1	−25 8 11½	22 2 10	20 5 3	3 8 8	12 15 2	0 0 11¾	7 17 7¾	14 18 7½	10 12 1	93 5 11	1 11 1	..	48 12 11½	..	42 0 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	25 8 11½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	121	126	198	177	60	54	40	36	52	57	109	107	117	125	182	148
Not entitled { Unfinancial	10	7	18	12	3	4	..	..	1	2	9	7	12	4	13	53
to benefits { New	6	21	1	6	1	1	4	10	1	5	11	12	10	19	9	12
Total	137	154	217	195	64	59	44	46	54	64	129	126	139	148	204	213
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	31		13		8		12		10		16		27		27	
Departures { By death	2, £40		4, £60[2]		1, £20		1, £20		..		2, £60[5]		3, £80[5]		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	12		31		12		9		13		17		15		17	
Number of members sick	22		33		12		5		94 w. 2 d.		20		24		33	
Period of sickness	188 w.		371 w. 2 d.		174 w. 4 d.		33 w. 2 d.		..		128 w. 2 d.		190 w. 2 d.		265 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		3, £30		..		..		..		..		8, £80		2, £20.	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Transferred to Incidental Fund; error last year.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] Received from Annual Gala Fund.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[5] Including £20 for 1887.—[6] Including £15, error in balance.

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	17 Talbot. Talbot. 1870.		18 Mona. North Melbourne. 1870.		19 Southern Cross. South Melbourne. 1871.		20 Greensborough. Greensborough. 1871.		21 Australia Felix. Flemington. 1871.		22 Canterbury. Prahran. 1872.		23 Quartzopolis. Sandhurst. 1872.		24 Star of Victoria. Warrnambool. 1873.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	177 5 8	15 7 6	868 3 11¼	142 4 0¾	222 10 7	3 5 10	312 12 6	20 9 0	608 16 6½	17 8 9½	515 12 10½	−58 18 3	526 16 1	30 2 2	481 15 9	13 5 11
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	62 17 5	72 16 11	296 3 4	339 14 4	121 12 3	141 11 9	43 0 0	51 1 6	210 17 3	247 0 3	220 8 2	275 0 11	236 15 11	285 6 7	80 9 8½	82 7 2½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14 10 0	..	11 5 6	..	16 19 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	23 5 0	17 14 6	12 10 0	9 0 6	7 0 0	0 7 6	0 7 6	9 14 0	5 15 0	13 1 0	11 12 0	47 18 0	31 7 6	2 2 6	2 10 0
Interest	9 1 0	..	63 14 0	9 18 1	8 6 9	..	15 0 0	..	28 5 0	..	41 0 10	..	38 7 2	..	37 1 5	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 5 6	..	37 16 6	..	32 1 0	..	1 1 6	0 13 4[1]	14 10 0	..	27 7 2	..	62 14 6	1 7 6[3]	3 17 3
Total Receipts ..	71 18 5	96 7 5	377 11 10	399 18 11	138 19 6	180 12 9	58 7 6	52 10 6	249 9 7	267 5 3	274 10 0	328 10 1	323 1 1	390 14 1	121 1 1½	105 13 5½
Total	249 4 1	111 14 11	1,245 15 9¾	542 2 11¼	361 10 1	183 18 7	371 0 0	72 19 6	858 6 1½	284 14 0½	790 2 10½	269 11 10	849 17 2	420 16 3	602 16 10½	118 19 4½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	66 8 4	..	98 8 4	..	126 17 0	..	18 16 8	..	58 0 0	..	120 19 2	..	149 6 8	..	41 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	68 2 9	..	187 10 0	..	124 17 6	..	43 19 3	..	170 7 0	..	183 4 3	..	164 3 3	..	64 15 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	14 8 0	4 16 0	73 11 6	23 0 6	29 3 6	8 19 6	9 17 0	3 1 6	50 13 0	16 5 0	49 14 6	15 3 0	60 16 0	17 1 0	18 1 6	6 18 0
Management	..	30 12 10	..	98 14 7	..	43 4 0	..	19 17 8	..	71 2 6	..	61 12 3	..	77 14 5	..	34 3 0
Other expenditure	..	1 16 4	..	44 14 2	..	4 3 5	..	0 9 2	..	4 11 10	..	6 9 10	..	105 8 8	..	3 11 6
Total Expenditure ..	80 16 4	105 7 11	171 19 10	353 19 3	156 0 6	181 4 5	28 13 8	67 7 7	108 13 0	262 6 4	170 13 8	266 9 4	210 2 8	364 7 4	59 11 6	109 7 6
Balance	168 7 9	6 7 0	1,073 15 11¼	188 3 8¼	205 9 7	2 14 2	342 6 4	5 11 11	749 13 1½	22 7 8½	619 9 2½	3 2 6	639 14 6	56 8 11	543 5 4½	9 11 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	160 0 0	..	1,073 15 11¼	148 17 11¼	203 8 6	..	300 0 0	..	749 13 1½	11 6 10½	495 0 0	..	600 0 0	..	539 3 7	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	8 7 9	6 7 0	..	39 5 9	2 1 1	2 14 2	42 6 4	5 11 11	..	11 0 10	124 9 2½	3 2 6	39 14 6	56 8 11	4 1 9½	9 11 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits	47	46	190	201	84	89	32	29	152	157	147	123	135	162	54	57
Not entitled { Unfinancial ..	..	..	36	31	10	4	2	1	..	..	19	22	8	25	3	..
to benefits { New	1	..	16	14	1	4	..	..	6	7	7	19	12	37	2	1
Total	48	46	242	246	95	97	34	30	158	164	173	164	155	224	59	58
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	1		34		20		1		19		30		86		5	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		1, £20		..		..		1, £20		2, £20[2]		2, £40		1, £20	
{ Otherwise ..	3		29		18		5		12		37		15		5	
Number of members sick ..	7		27		23		6		16		27		29		14	
Period of sickness	123 w. 4 d.		110 w. 4 d.		187 w.		18 w. 5 d.		60 w. 2 d.		129 w. 1 d.		153 w. 5 d.		41 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		3, £30.		..		..		1, £10		1, £10.		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] Received from Annual Gala Fund.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS.

	25 Iceni. Richmond. 1873.		26 Caractacus. Eaglehawk. 1873.		27 Charnwood. St. Kilda. 1876.		28 Salisbury. South Melbourne. 1877.		29 Ivy. Footscray. 1877.		30 Olive Leaf. Carlton. 1877.		31 Boadicea. Richmond. 1877.		32 Star. Windsor. 1878.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 718 5 8	£ s. d. 68 0 5½	£ s. d. 31 17 11	£ s. d. 18 17 1	£ s. d. 434 9 8	£ s. d. 3 9 6½	£ s. d. 271 2 6	£ s. d. 15 11 11	£ s. d. 757 1 11	£ s. d. 91 15 0	£ s. d. 236 0 9¼	£ s. d. 1 3 6¾	£ s. d. 370 3 4½	£ s. d. 58 12 2	£ s. d. 551 4 2	£ s. d. −22 9 5
Receipts.																
Contributions	195 18 6	233 13 0	82 15 10½	86 11 10½	151 3 0½	184 8 9½	191 19 9	239 0 9	361 6 2	427 18 8	56 1 1¼	74 9 11¾	123 15 6	141 6 6	70 15 3	86 4 3
Special levies	..	..	24 0 0	..	..	..	2 5 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	25 9 6	21 1 6	..	2 2 6	9 6 6	5 7 6	30 3 0	22 5 0	49 0 6	22 19 6	2 2 6	1 15 0	10 13 6	7 18 0	8 5 0	4 15 0
Interest	38 11 8[1]	..	3 8 0	..	20 14 8	..	16 16 0	0 9 0	49 8 6	2 10 0	12 14 11	..	21 7 8	2 4 0	31 2 6	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	14 0 6	10 14 0[3]	8 18 3	..	27 12 3	..	46 6 7	..	18 4 0	..	5 19 4	..	11 14 6	0 11 0[6]	..
Total Receipts	259 19 8	268 15 0	120 17 10½	97 12 7½	181 4 2½	217 8 6½	241 5 0	308 1 4	459 15 2	471 18 2	70 18 6¼	82 4 3¾	155 16 8	163 3 0	110 13 9	90 19 3
Total	978 5 4	336 15 5½	152 15 9½	116 9 8½	615 13 10½	220 18 1	512 7 6	323 13 3	1,216 17 1	563 13 2	306 19 3½	83 7 10½	526 0 0½	221 15 2	661 17 11	68 9 10
Expenditure.																
Sick pay	108 3 4	..	76 10 0	..	96 6 8	..	108 14 2	..	157 13 4	..	12 11 8	..	34 8 4	..	4 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	151 6 0	..	56 0 0	..	135 5 9	..	172 14 0	..	313 10 9	..	40 19 5½	..	101 19 9	..	50 3 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	49 19 6	14 10 0	15 19 0	7 0 0	35 3 6	10 19 6	52 11 6	16 2 11	85 1 6	26 0 0	13 1 0	4 14 6	26 16 0	11 4 6	19 4 0	5 18 0
Management	..	47 2 0	..	29 8 7	..	48 16 0	..	63 9 0	..	68 6 0	..	26 15 10	..	36 9 8	..	26 10 0
Other expenditure	..	32 8 6	..	15 8 6	..	10 12 10	..	52 16 7	..	72 18 9	..	12 8 1	..	10 12 6	..	9 11 2
Total Expenditure	158 2 10	245 6 6	92 9 0	107 17 1	131 10 2	205 14 1	161 5 8	305 2 6	242 14 10	480 15 6	25 12 8	84 17 10½	61 4 4	160 6 5	23 4 0	92 2 2
Balance	820 2 6	91 8 11½	60 6 9½	8 12 7½	484 3 8½	15 4 0	351 1 10	18 10 9	974 2 3	82 17 8	281 6 7½	−1 10 0	464 15 8½	61 8 9	638 13 11	−23 12 4
Disposal of Funds.																
Invested at interest	792 7 11	84 15 11	27 0 0	..	461 4 3	..	350 0 0	..	974 0 0	74 1 10	258 16 1	..	464 15 8½	53 8 0	545 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	27 14 7	6 13 0½	33 6 9½	8 12 7½	22 19 5½	15 4 0	1 1 10	18 10 9	0 2 3	8 15 10	21 0 6½	−1 10 0	..	8 0 9	70 1 7	−23 12 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 10 0	..	..	..	23 12 4	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	104	134	51	40	93	104	121	125	212	243	38	40	73	81	56	52
Not entitled { Unfinancial to benefits { New	12	12	..	..	14	8	7	22	13	6	5	4	7	13	..	..
	13	22	1	7	5	4	11	26	24	39	1	2	8	0	3	..
Total	129	168	52	47	112	116	139	173	249	288	44	46	88	100	59	52
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.																
Admitted	53		7		15		60		67		6		20		15	
Departures { By death	1, £10[2]		4, £80		1, £20		3, £40[4]		1, £20		..		3, £40[5]		..	
Departures { Otherwise	13		8		10		23		27		4		5		22	
Number of members sick	28		11		17		32		46		5		11		1	
Period of sickness	114 w. 1 d.		119 w. 3 d.		103 w.		138 w. 3 d.		160 w. 4 d.		30 w. 5 d.		34 w. 2 d.		4 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	3, £30		..		..		..		1, £10		1, £10		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including the interest obtained by the Incidental Fund.—[2] Not entitled to full benefits.—[3] £2 11s. received from Annual Gala Fund, and sick pay refunded by other lodges, £8 3s.—[4] Funeral donation for one member not yet paid.—[5] One member not entitled to benefits.—[6] Received from Annual Gala Fund.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS.

	33 Avebury. North Fitzroy. 1878.		34 Standard. Melbourne. 1878.		35 Excelsior. West Melbourne. 1878.		36 Caradoc. North Melbourne. 1879.		37 Wangate. Fitzroy. 1879.		38 Holly. Carlton. 1879.		39 Teutonia. Melbourne. 1879.		40 Una. Carlton. 1880.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 181 1 6½	£ s. d. 4 3 7½	£ s. d. 326 7 6½	£ s. d. 14 12 9½	£ s. d. 354 17 6½	£ s. d. 49 1 0	£ s. d. 668 7 8	£ s. d. 4 15 1	£ s. d. 493 9 10½	£ s. d. 184 5 8	£ s. d. 239 14 7½	£ s. d. 38 2 7	£ s. d. 295 6 3½	£ s. d. 2 11 5½	£ s. d. 527 2 1½	£ s. d. 60 3 2
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	35 9 0	60 1 9	70 4 0	94 1 6	154 3 0½	176 19 0½	173 8 10½	196 16 10½	144 19 0½	165 1 6½	177 13 6	213 7 0	90 8 9	106 10 3	157 15 11½	196 14 11½
Special Levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 17 6	3 17 0	6 7 9	5 3 9	11 14 0	9 12 6	10 14 0	7 15 0	13 1 0	10 5 0	34 4 0	24 3 0	11 11 0	6 0 0	17 15 0	15 12 6
Interest	..	3 15 0[2]	20 2 1	..	22 12 4	..	45 10 0	..	41 5 0	..	10 8 11	2 1 0	13 19 4	..	17 14 0	1 10 0
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 9 0	..	32 15 0	..	15 1 9	..	52 9 0	..	127 13 3	..	20 3 6	..	13 3 0	..	68 9 0
Total Receipts	36 6 6	75 2 9	96 13 10	132 0 3	188 9 4½	201 13 3½	229 12 10½	257 0 10½	199 5 0½	302 19 9½	222 6 5	259 14 6	115 19 1	125 13 3	193 4 11½	282 6 5½
Total	217 8 0½	79 6 4½	423 1 4½	146 13 0½	543 6 11	250 14 3½	898 0 6½	261 15 11½	692 14 11	487 5 5½	462 1 0½	297 17 1	411 5 4½	128 4 8½	720 7 1	342 9 7½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	18 12 0	..	50 3 2	..	137 3 4	..	51 3 0	..	49 6 8	..	101 13 4	..	33 7 6	..	70 4 0	..
Medical attendance	..	35 13 3	..	58 14 0	..	116 10 3	..	121 1 0	..	96 15 0	..	162 15 6	..	75 16 3	..	163 4 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	13 9 0	4 1 6	18 14 0	5 16 3	38 3 0	13 13 6	44 17 0	14 7 6	34 17 0	10 11 6	50 3 6	14 2 0	24 19 0	7 13 0	50 4 6	15 1 0
Management	..	23 10 9	..	46 16 0	..	44 18 6	..	52 13 0	..	52 5 0	..	55 15 0	..	36 19 0	..	58 3 6
Other expenditure	10 0 0[1]	11 6 4	..	28 14 0	..	35 11 0	..	69 8 3	..	46 13 6	..	26 11 4½	..	7 13 0	..	92 11 8
Total Expenditure	42 1 0	74 11 10	68 17 2	140 0 3	175 6 4	210 13 3	96 0 0	257 9 9	84 3 8	206 5 0	151 16 10	259 3 10½	58 6 6	128 1 3	120 8 6	329 0 11
Balance	175 7 0½	4 14 6½	354 4 2½	6 12 9½	368 0 7	40 1 0½	802 0 6½	4 6 2½	608 11 3	281 0 5½	310 4 2½	38 13 2½	352 18 10½	0 3 5½	599 18 7	13 8 8½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	150 0 0	..	354 4 1	..	368 0 7	19 12 5	775 0 0	..	608 11 3	191 8 9	170 0 0	..	280 10 10	..	599 18 7	13 8 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	25 7 0½	4 14 6½	0 0 1½	6 12 9½	..	20 8 7½	27 0 6½	4 6 2½	..	89 11 8½	140 4 2½	38 13 2½	72 8 0½	0 3 5½	..	0 0 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	28	29	54	57	86	93	123	135	82	94	115	149	70	59	130	133
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	7	4	5	10	12	7	6	20	11	15	16	..	12	17	27
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	2	7	3	12	15	11	6	12	19	22	30	8	8	13	19
Total	34	38	65	65	108	120	141	147	114	124	152	195	78	79	160	179
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	8		11		24		21		31		63		16		44	
Departures { By death	..		..		1, £20		1, £20		1, £20		2, £20[3]		..		5, £50[4]	
Departures { Otherwise	4		11		11		14		20		18		15		20	
Number of members sick	7		9		19		15		17		15		17		20	
Period of sickness	20 w. 3 d.		50 w. 1 d.		150 w. 4 d.		75 w. 1 d.		49 w. 2 d.		179 w. 4 d.		41 w. 4 d.		73 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		2, £20		1, £10		..		..		..		1, £10	

[1] Loss not accounted for by late secretary.—[2] Interest improperly credited to the Incidental Fund.—[3] One member not entitled to benefits.—[4] One member not yet paid, one not entitled to benefits, and one only to half benefits.

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	41 King Harold. Fitzroy. 1880.		42 Laurel. South Yarra. 1880.		43 Normanby. Port Melbourne. 1880.		44 Crescent. North Melbourne. 1881.		45 Rising Sun. North Carlton. 1881.		46 Golden Sickle. Brighton. 1881.		47 Cambria. Carlton. 1881.		48 Yarraberg. Richmond. 1881.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 490 7 1½	£ s. d. 29 0 1½	£ s. d. 283 19 8½	£ s. d. −8 11 11½	£ s. d. 239 15 5½	£ s. d. 3 14 6	£ s. d. 878 3 5	£ s. d. −5 11 8	£ s. d. 529 2 1	£ s. d. 3 15 6½	£ s. d. 219 6 2	£ s. d. 34 16 8	£ s. d. 230 16 7½	£ s. d. 24 9 9½	£ s. d. 148 2 11	£ s. d. 7 14 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	136 17 0½	169 18 9½	100 6 0	116 14 6	168 3 9	201 3 3	174 1 10½	198 1 7½	131 2 11	153 19 7	56 14 5	73 11 10	65 0 1½	75 11 10½	55 8 7	73 10 9
Special levies	..	..	..	12 17 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	11 12 0	11 15 6	4 13 6	3 15 0	13 4 0	10 7 6	9 8 0	5 17 6	3 8 6	2 12 6	4 11 0	3 2 6	5 5 6	4 5 0	2 13 0	3 17 6
Interest	38 2 3	..	12 15 6	..	9 17 0	..	66 7 1	..	34 11 9	..	9 11 7	..	15 17 2	..	7 4 8	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 10 0	6 10 0[1]	18 8 0	..	19 18 2	..	9 19 3	..	44 9 6	..	2 9 9	..	7 2 3	5 0 0[1]	7 6 3
Total Receipts	186 11 3½	183 4 3½	124 5 0	151 14 6	191 4 9	231 8 11	249 16 11½	213 18 4½	169 3 2	201 1 7	70 17 0	79 4 1	86 2 9½	86 19 1½	70 6 3	84 14 6
Total	676 18 5	212 4 5	408 4 8½	143 2 6½	431 0 2½	235 3 5	1,128 0 4½	208 6 8½	698 5 3	204 17 1½	290 3 2	114 0 9	316 19 5	111 8 11	218 9 2	92 8 6
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	38 5 8	..	19 0 0	..	150 3 4	..	46 3 10	..	46 6 8	..	20 0 0	..	20 0 0	..	27 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	114 13 4	..	93 4 0	..	176 14 0	..	133 17 3	..	101 18 11½	..	53 8 3	..	49 6 3	..	63 14 7
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	29 12 0	10 9 6	22 11 0	7 4 6	45 5 6	13 18 6	48 8 6	18 7 3	33 7 0	11 14 9	13 0 0	4 14 5	15 2 0	4 14 0	13 2 0	4 4 6
Management	..	58 11 1	..	26 2 3	..	27 9 3	..	51 18 6	..	48 15 0	..	20 12 3	..	22 15 4	..	22 13 6
Other expenditure	..	14 14 3	..	1 11 6	..	14 14 8	0 19 0[3]	9 15 6	..	37 12 2	..	23 2 11	..	6 1 9	..	8 18 1
Total Expenditure	67 17 8	198 8 2	41 11 0	128 2 3	195 8 10	232 16 5	95 11 4	213 18 6	79 13 8	200 0 10½	33 0 0	101 17 10	35 2 0	82 17 4	40 15 4	99 10 8
Balance	609 0 9	13 16 3	366 13 8½	15 0 3½	235 11 4½	2 7 0	1,032 9 0½	−5 11 9½	618 11 7	4 16 3	257 3 2	12 2 11	281 17 5	28 11 7	177 13 10	−7 2 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	609 0 9	12 13 3	366 8 4	14 14 11	214 0 0	..	1,019 17 11	..	613 11 0	..	231 11 7	..	281 0 0	25 10 10	146 15 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	1 3 0	0 5 4½	0 5 4½	21 11 4½	2 7 0	6 19 4	−5 11 9½	5 0 7	4 16 3	25 11 7	12 2 11	0 17 5	3 0 9	23 16 2	−7 2 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 11 9½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 2 2	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	102	122	60	67	98	132	114	110	96	95	31	32	37	41	38	38
Not entitled { Unfinancial	40	42	2	8	16	5	18	10	7	6	7	12	10	8	9	4
to benefits { New	13	12	6	3	17	13	3	6	9	5	6	3	6	4	2	7
Total	155	176	68	78	131	150	135	126	112	106	44	47	53	53	49	49
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	25		12		30		15		7		9		8		11	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	4		2		11		24		13		6		7		11	
Number of members sick	14		5		28		13		7		3		7		4	
Period of sickness	39 w. 1 d.		19 w.		150 w. 1 d.		48 w. 2 d.		46 w. 2 d.		20 w.		20 w.		27 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		1[2]		..		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Received from Annual Gala Fund.—[2] Husband not entitled to benefit.—[3] Transferred to Incidental Fund, error last year.

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	49 Tara. West Melbourne. 1881.		50 Ivanhoe. Fitzroy. 1881.		51 Rowena. South Melbourne. 1881.		52 Osberga. Windsor. 1882.		53 Lloegria. Collingwood. 1882.		54 Malvina. Collingwood. 1882.		55 Cymri. Carlton. 1882.		56 Albyn. Collingwood. 1882.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	206 3 6	5 19 4	253 6 3½	13 17 8	124 18 6	20 13 5	70 0 5	−6 0 11½	395 1 3	72 12 6	246 6 6½	33 9 10	132 2 8½	91 6 10	169 9 0½	3 1 10½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	94 2 6	106 8 0	63 14 0	78 15 6	103 6 5½	119 8 5½	53 11 9	63 5 3	108 7 7½	123 13 10½	101 17 0	118 0 9	80 16 1	98 9 3	85 7 8	97 2 2
Special Levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	5 1 6	5 5 0	6 19 0	3 12 6	7 5 6	13 0 6	8 19 0	6 12 0	10 17 0	7 5 6	9 16 6	10 1 0	11 6 6	7 7 6	8 6 0	5 10 0
Interest	5 12 6	0 5 2	9 16 9	..	4 6 2	1 10 0	2 11 2	..	27 8 5	..	23 18 9	..	8 10 0	4 6 10	8 2 6	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	12 3 6	..	0 12 9	0 9 0[2]	19 15 1	3 0 0[3]	4 3 3	..	7 15 9	..	16 9 0	..	18 3 0	..	13 9 4[4]
Total Receipts	104 16 6	124 1 8	80 9 9	83 0 9	115 7 1½	153 14 0½	68 1 11	74 0 6	146 13 0½	138 15 1½	135 12 3	144 10 9	100 12 7	128 6 7	101 16 2	116 1 6
Total	311 0 0	130 1 0	333 16 0½	96 18 5	240 5 7½	174 7 5½	138 2 4	67 19 6½	541 14 3½	211 7 7½	381 18 9½	178 0 7	232 15 3½	219 13 5	271 5 2½	119 3 4½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	18 13 4	..	21 0 0	..	66 19 11	..	30 3 4	..	24 13 4	..	94 10 0	..	78 0 4	..	28 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	67 13 6	..	48 15 6	..	85 18 6	..	40 9 0	..	82 16 9	..	75 6 0	..	51 9 0	..	64 10 11
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	20 0 6	8 9 0	15 9 6	4 16 6	23 14 9	7 18 3	14 16 6	4 13 6	26 1 0	7 13 6	18 3 6	5 9 6	17 18 6	5 4 6	20 3 6	5 19 6
Management	..	30 19 9	..	31 14 9	..	32 14 6	..	24 2 6	..	30 9 2	..	32 9 1	..	25 15 6	..	25 3 3
Other expenditure	10 0 9[1]	9 15 9	..	3 3 11	..	12 1 10	..	3 13 6	..	17 2 0	..	12 3 3	..	20 14 6	..	13 8 0
Total Expenditure	48 14 7	116 18 0	36 9 6	88 10 8	90 14 8	138 13 1	44 19 10	72 18 6	50 14 4	138 1 5	112 13 6	125 7 10	95 18 10	103 3 6	48 13 6	109 1 8
Balance	262 5 5	13 3 0	297 6 6½	8 7 9	149 10 11½	35 14 4½	93 2 6	−4 18 11½	490 19 11½	73 6 2½	269 5 3½	52 12 9	136 16 5½	116 9 11	222 11 8½	10 1 8½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	199 9 6	13 3 0	297 6 6½	6 3 9½	..	..	55 1 4	..	490 19 11½	65 8 9½	269 5 3½	47 8 0½	136 16 5½	102 4 3½	175 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	62 15 11	..	..	2 3 11½	149 10 11½	35 14 4½	33 2 2½	−4 18 11½	..	7 17 5	..	5 4 8½	..	14 5 7½	47 11 8½	10 1 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 18 11½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	66	56	41	42	58	64	27	38	68	61	59	65	42	57	43	50
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	10	11	8	4	..	6	4	3	7	13	9	10	14	3	9	9
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	11	3	5	9	5	2	5	5	10	2	6	6	11	3	8
Total	76	78	52	51	67	75	33	46	80	84	70	81	62	71	55	67
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	14		9		17		17		16		22		20		20	
Departures { By death	..		..		1, £20		..		..		1, £20		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	12		10		8		4		12		10		10		8	
Number of members sick	4		4		13		5		8		15		9		11	
Period of sickness	18 w. 4 d.		21 w.		84 w. 5 d.		70 w. 4 d.		24 w. 4 d.		125 w. 3 d.		88 w. 3 d.		28 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	3, £30		..		..		1, £10		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Refunded to treasurer for overcharge.—[2] Error in balance.—[3] Loan refunded.—[4] Including error in balance, £6 10s.

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	57 Harmony. South Melbourne. 1883.		58 Alma. St. Kilda. 1883.		59 Sylvanus. Prahran. 1883.		60 Avon. Port Melbourne. 1883.		61 Concordia. North Melbourne. 1884.		62 Kew. Kew. 1884.		63 Voltock. Hawthorn. 1884.		64 Clifton. Clifton Hill. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	302 4 7	8 4 8	59 1 8	6 4 0	90 14 0½	1 10 9½	162 16 5½	1 12 10½	98 14 10½	8 8 3	82 11 2	10 5 6	91 7 10½	0 0 10½	205 19 9	34 18 3½
Receipts.																
Contributions	165 13 10	191 6 3	55 11 1½	79 1 10½	69 13 9¾	84 2 7¼	66 15 9	79 3 3	47 8 6	54 17 6	51 10 3	53 14 0	46 17 8½	46 11 6½	158 18 1	215 1 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	17 17 6	13 11 6	12 16 0	8 13 0	8 9 6	5 5 0	8 13 0	5 9 0	14 1 0	8 10 0	8 8 0	11 15 0	12 18 11	16 3 1	36 19 0	13 8 6
Interest	8 18 4	..	2 15 1	..	4 10 0	..	4 10 0	..	3 0 0	1 0 0	3 3 5	..	2 4 1	..	11 6 0	3 5 0
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	29 0 9	2 6 0[2]	2 15 9	..	4 0 4½	..	1 14 5	..	59 3 6	..	16 9 6	..	15 0 0	..	70 2 2½
Total Receipts	192 9 8	233 18 6	73 8 2½	90 10 7½	82 13 3¾	93 7 11¾	79 18 9	86 6 8	64 9 6	123 11 0	63 1 8	81 18 6	62 0 8½	77 14 7½	207 3 1	301 17 1½
Total	494 14 3	242 3 2	132 9 10½	96 14 7½	173 7 4½	94 18 9¼	242 15 2½	87 19 6½	163 4 4½	131 19 3	145 12 10	92 4 0	153 8 7	77 15 6	413 2 10	336 15 5
Expenditure.																
Sick pay	109 16 4	..	19 3 4	..	48 11 8	..	9 0 8	..	8 0 0	..	6 16 8	..	15 13 8	..	59 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	147 19 0	..	53 2 0	..	56 9 7	..	48 14 6	..	29 15 0	..	36 9 0	..	48 5 0	..	99 0 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	42 8 0	13 3 6	8 11 0	5 16 0	16 17 0	5 1 6	16 1 0	4 19 6	13 12 0	3 11 6	6 3 0	1 16 0	14 15 0	4 9 6	33 12 0	18 0 6
Management	..	52 18 9	..	20 6 3	..	22 0 6	..	25 4 10	..	22 16 6	..	17 8 6	..	14 17 6	..	62 9 3
Other expenditure	..	22 1 4	..	15 4 0	..	5 0 0	..	3 4 2	..	42 11 3	..	9 18 3	..	1 16 0	10 0 0[5]	54 19 7
Total Expenditure	152 4 4	236 2 7	27 14 4	94 8 3	65 8 8	88 11 7	25 1 8	82 3 0	21 12 0	98 14 3	12 19 8	65 11 9	30 8 8	69 8 0	102 12 0	234 9 9
Balance	342 9 11	6 0 7	104 15 6½	2 6 4½	107 18 8¼	6 7 2¼	217 13 6½	5 16 6½	141 12 4½	33 5 0	132 13 2	26 12 3	122 19 11	8 7 6	310 10 10	102 5 8
Disposal of Funds.																
Invested at interest	300 0 0	..	80 18 3	..	98 2 8	..	175 0 0	..	141 12 4½	8 7 7½	125 18 10	..	120 0 0	..	275 0 0	75 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	42 9 11	6 0 7	23 17 3½	2 6 4½	9 16 0¼	6 7 2¼	42 13 6½[3]	5 16 6½	..	24 17 4½	6 14 4	26 12 3	2 19 11	8 7 6	35 10 10	27 5 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	96	119	14	31	40	48	52	38	24	34	23	34	24	40	63	98
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	13	5	8	12	8	3	..	9	2	5	3	4	..	7	14	18
Not entitled to benefits { New	10	17	11	10	5	7	2	6	8	7	10	13	6	7	21	55
Total	119	141	33	53	53	58	54	53	34	46	36	51	30	54	98	171
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.																
Admitted	43		22		16		10		23		19		25		79	
Departures { By death	..		..		1, £20		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	21		2		10		11		11		4		1		6	
Number of members sick	18		6		9		6		4		2		6		11	
Period of sickness	123 w. 2 d.		19 w. 1 d.		49 w. 4 d.		9 w.		8 w.		6 w. 5 d.		17 w.		59 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £5[1]		..		..		..		..		1, £10		..		1, £10	

[1] Husband entitled only to half benefits.—[2] Received from Annual Gala Fund.—[3] Including bill of exchange given by late treasurer for £10 15s.—[4] Interest apparently belonging to the Sick and Funeral Fund.—[5] Funeral donation not yet received from Grand Lodge.

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	65 Eltham. Eltham. 1885.		66 Elliott. Ascot Vale. 1885.		67 Charlton United. Charlton. 1885.		68 Malvern. Caulfield. 1885.		69 Euroa. Euroa. 1886.		70 Corio. Geelong. 1886.		71 Studley. Richmond. 1886.		72 Comet. Armadale. 1886.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	33 3 11	4 19 11	66 18 0½	1 18 0½	84 13 10½	0 17 8½	50 17 4	3 3 2½	81 4 1	−0 0 11	74 3 2	8 9 0	29 4 0	2 1 9	27 1 0	−3 12 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	29 17 7½	35 1 1½	63 3 3	85 15 6	21 17 7	68 1 5	31 1 1½	36 3 7½	61 1 2½	68 2 2½	47 9 3	55 16 9	53 16 10½	80 7 4½	40 4 4½	53 12 10½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 15 0	0 15 0	6 5 0	4 10 0	3 18 9	1 6 3	3 10 6	1 10 0	4 10 0	20 3 0	1 17 6	2 2 6	12 1 6	10 8 6	10 13 0	6 7 6
Interest	..	1 17 6[1]	2 10 6	..	..	..	2 2 6	..	4 9 6	..	1 0 0	0 12 2	0 6 8	..	1 5 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	20 2 4	..	2 3 0	..	..	..	5 10 3	4 14 6[4]	2 14 3	0 1 0[6]	5 16 0	3 5 6[4]	6 14 0	6 12 3[4]	3 17 6
Total Receipts	30 12 7½	57 15 11½	71 18 9	92 8 6	25 16 4	69 7 8	36 14 1½	43 3 10½	74 15 2½	97 14 5½	50 7 9	64 7 5	69 10 6½	97 9 10½	58 14 7½	63 17 10½
Total	63 16 6½	62 15 10½	138 16 9½	94 6 6½	110 10 2½	70 5 4½	87 11 5½	46 7 1	155 19 3½	97 13 6½	124 10 11	72 16 5	98 14 6½	99 11 7½	85 15 7½	60 5 10½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	22 5 10	..	22 3 4	..	16 0 0	..	7 1 8	..	9 13 4	..	24 13 4	..	2 6 8	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	23 10 0	..	55 14 6	..	48 2 0	..	33 16 0	..	70 11 6	..	38 1 0	..	64 15 8	..	37 11 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	6 14 0	2 3 0	15 4 6	4 10 6	4 10 0	1 10 0	7 13 6	2 4 6	12 10 6	3 18 6	10 19 0	3 11 6	12 13 6	3 18 6	12 13 0	3 11 0
Management	..	11 15 4	..	22 1 4	..	18 7 6	..	9 7 6	..	23 4 0	..	15 3 6	..	14 4 3	..	15 0 0
Other expenditure	..	24 19 5	..	8 16 8	..	10 3 8	..	0 17 0	..	3 8 9	..	2 3 6	..	13 3 6	0 8 0[7]	3 13 0
Total Expenditure	28 19 10	62 7 9	37 7 10	91 3 0	20 10 0	78 3 2	14 15 2	46 5 0	22 3 10	101 2 9	35 12 4	58 19 6	15 0 2	96 1 11	13 1 0	59 15 0
Balance	34 16 8½	0 8 1½	101 8 11½	3 3 6½	90 0 2½	−7 17 9½	72 16 3½	0 2 1	133 15 5½	−3 9 2½	88 18 7	13 16 11	83 14 4½	3 9 8½	72 14 7½	0 10 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	25 0 0	..	85 0 0	..	50 0 0	..	50 0 0	..	75 0 0	..	88 18 7	12 3 8	73 7 1	..	50 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	9 16 8½	0 8 1½	16 8 11½	3 3 6½	32 2 5	−7 17 9½	22 16 3½	0 2 1	55 6 3	−3 9 2½	..	1 13 3	10 7 3½	3 9 8½	22 14 7½	0 10 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	7 17 9½	..	..	..	3 9 2½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 5 0[8]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	16	19	32	45	12	13	17	16	34	35	33	32	16	37	21	27
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	6	19	..	2	..	5	8	5	5	9	2	6	2	2	7
Not entitled to benefits { New	4	..	2	4	1	1	7	4	3	..	1	1	10	9	3	4
Total	20	25	53	49	15	14	29	28	42	40	43	35	32	48	26	38
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	5		16		6		4		6		5		26		19	
Departures { By death	..		1[2]		1[3]		..		..		1, £20		..		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	..		19		6		5		8		12		10		6	
Number of members sick	4		6		1		1		4		6		1		..	
Period of sickness	22 w. 2 d.		22 w. 1 d.		16 w.		14 w. 1 d.		16 w. 2 d.		24 w. 4 d.		4 w. 4 d.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		1, £5[5]		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Interest improperly credited to the Incidental Fund.—[2] Funeral donation not paid on account of false declaration of age.—[3] Funeral donation not paid.—[4] Received from Annual Gala Fund.—[5] Husband entitled only to half benefits.—[6] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[7] To Lodge Extension Fund, wrongly debited to this fund.—[8] To the credit of Extension Fund.

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	73 Burnley. Richmond. 1887.		74 Minerva. South Melbourne. 1887.		75 Ivy Leaf. Yarraville. 1887.		76 Jubilee. Prahran. 1887.		77 Austral. Melbourne. 1888.		78 Echuca. Echuca. 1888.		79 General Gordon. Seymour. 1888.		80 Bacchus Marsh. Bacchus Marsh. 1888.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 34 10 0	£ s. d. 8 18 1	£ s. d. 14 11 9	£ s. d. −3 6 9	£ s. d. 17 5 9	£ s. d. 14 6 9	£ s. d. 6 18 6	£ s. d. 2 18 9	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	44 12 6	47 9 3	43 2 8½	56 13 2½	57 18 9	74 3 9	30 5 9	39 9 9	39 19 1½	52 10 7½	15 2 0	35 1 0	11 10 0	12 14 0	10 3 3	12 10 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	9 16 0	5 5 0	15 7 0	10 17 7	16 3 6	9 0 0	4 10 0	4 2 6	21 16 0	17 15 0	24 17 0	13 3 0	..	..	16 6 6	12 15 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	1 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 11 6	14 0 0	..	..
Grand Lodge Dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	6 0 6[1]	6 6 3	..	12 5 0	..	8 15 0	5 0 0[2]	10 1 9	..	0 15 0	..	2 10 6	..	1 4 0	..	0 8 0
Total Receipts	60 9 0	59 0 6	58 9 8½	79 15 9½	76 0 3	91 18 9	39 15 9	53 14 0	61 15 1½	71 0 7½	39 19 0	50 14 6	19 1 6	27 18 0	26 9 9	25 13 3
Total	94 19 0	67 18 7	73 1 5½	76 9 0½	93 6 0	106 5 6	46 14 3	56 12 9	61 15 1½	71 0 7½	39 19 0	50 14 6	19 1 6	27 18 0	26 9 9	25 13 3
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	3 8 4	..	2 6 8	..	22 0 0	..	2 6 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	41 9 6	..	45¾11 3	..	53 13 9	..	23 2 2	..	39 16 0	..	19 15 3½	..	9 13 9	..	13 4 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	10 9 6	2 19 0	17 17 0	5 1 0	16 13 6	4 12 0	6 19 0	1 18 10	15 13 0	6 9 0	7 7 0	1 4 0	..	..	..	..
Management	..	16 13 0	..	20 17 10	..	13 3 7	..	14 1 1	..	11 17 9	..	8 2 4	..	10 12 0	..	2 19 1
Other expenditure	..	6 4 3	..	21 19 3	..	25 3 9	..	0 12 9	..	10 2 6	..	21 11 7½	..	..	..	1 0 6
Total Expenditure	13 17 10	67 5 9	20 3 8	93 9 4	38 13 6	96 13 1	9 5 8	39 14 10	15 13 0	68 5 3	7 7 0	50 13 3	..	20 5 9	..	17 4 1
Balance	81 1 2	0 12 10	52 17 9½	−17 0 3½	54 12 6	9 12 5	37 8 7	16 17 11	46 2 1½	2 15 4½	32 12 0	0 1 3	19 1 6	7 12 3	26 9 9	8 9 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	80 2 9	0 12 10	35 17 6	..	54 0 0	6 0 0	3 0 2½	12 19 6	35 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	..	..	−17 0 3½	0 12 6	3 12 5	34 8 4½	3 18 5	11 2 1½	2 15 4½	32 12 0	0 1 3	19 1 6	7 12 3	26 9 9	8 9 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	0 18 5	..	17 0 3½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 9 6[3]	..	3 11 0[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	23	32	..	14	..	38	..	16	..	40	..	19	..	11	..	..
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	2	..	18	4	9	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..
to benefits { New	9	6	29	18	39	16	22	7	..	6	..	6	..	7	..	34
Total	32	40	29	50	43	63	22	26	..	46	..	30	..	18	..	34
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	16		31		26		10		46		30		33		34	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		1, £10[4]		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	8		10		6		5		..		..		15		..	
Number of members sick	2		1		6		1		..		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	6 w. 5 d.		2 w. 2 d.		22 w. 3 d.		4 w. 4 d.		..		..		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		—		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance, 6s. 6d., and £5 14s. received from Annual Gala Fund.—[2] Vote from Lodge Extension Fund.—[3] To the credit of Extension Fund.—[4] Entitled only to half benefits.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS.

	81 Hope of the Hill. North Carlton. 1888.		82 Alpine. Elsternwick. 1888.		83 Canterbury (Juvenile). Prahran. 1886.		84 Harmony (Juvenile). South Melbourne. 1887.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Lodge Funds.		The Whole Society.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	..	..	..	29 3 8	13 0 11	..	..	28,040 5 6¼	2,430 8 8¼	16,016 17 7	1,047 2 10½	44,057 3 1¼	3,477 11 6¾
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	2 0 6	3 5 0	1 0 9	5 13 9	17 18 3	17 18 3	9 5 7	11 0 6	9,978 10 3	11,939 1 5	..	..	9,978 10 3	11,939 1 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26 5 9	87 6 6	..	..	26 5 9	87 6 6
Initiation fees, &c.	5 15 6	9 15 0	4 18 0	7 7 6	..	0 19 6	..	1 9 0	969 3 8	772 11 8	..	..	969 3 8	772 11 8
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 4 5	0 4 0	1,638 14 7¼	81 4 3	775 19 9	106 2 6	2,414 14 4½	187 6 9
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,381 4 0½[3]	778 11 7[3]	2,381 4 0½	778 11 7
Other receipts	..	2 4 6	..	0 7 0	..	..	7 18 5[7]	11 6 5[7]	211 4 5½	1,470 0 3½	1,254 0 8½	850 19 0½	1,465 5 2	2,320 19 4
Total Receipts ..	7 16 0	15 4 6	5 18 9	13 8 3	17 18 3	18 17 9	17 8 5	23 19 11	12,823 18 8¾	14,350 4 1½	4,411 4 6	1,735 13 1½	17,235 3 2¾	16,085 17 3
Total	7 16 0	15 4 6	5 18 9	13 8 3	47 1 11	31 18 8	17 8 5	23 19 11	40,864 4 3	16,780 12 9¾	20,428 2 1	2,782 16 0	61,292 6 4	19,563 8 9¾
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	2 6 8	..	3 3 4	..	5,313 11 11	..	..	..	5,313 11 11	..
Medical attendance	..	2 7 4	..	..	..	6 1 4	..	3 4 0	..	8,219 0 8¼	..	..	..	8,219 0 8¼
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,790 0 0[4]	..	1,790 0 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	3 7 9	0 15 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,381 4 0½	778 11 7	..	..	2,381 4 0½	778 11 7
Management	..	4 13 3	..	4 4 9	..	7 18 0	..	8 7 0	..	3,205 17 9	..	623 3 6	..	3,829 1 3
Other expenditure	..	..	..	0 6 0	..	13 15 8[1]	0 3 0	4 14 3	59 0 1	1,719 0 9½	450 0 0	964 18 3	509 0 1	2,683 19 0¾
Total Expenditure ..	3 7 9	7 16 4	..	4 10 9	2 6 8	27 15 0	3 6 4	16 5 3	7,753 16 0½	13,922 10 9¾	2,240 0 0	1,588 1 9	9,993 16 0½	15,510 12 6¾
Balance	4 8 3	7 8 2	5 18 9	8 17 6	44 15 3	4 3 8	14 2 1	7 14 8	33,110 8 2½	2,858 2 0	18,188 2 1	1,194 14 3	51,298 10 3½	4,052 16 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	21 3 4	..	14 2 1	7 14 8	31,252 15 4	2,089 3 8	18,060 0 0	810 6 8	49,312 15 4	2,899 10 4
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	4 8 3	7 8 2	5 18 9	8 17 6	23 11 11	4 3 8	..	..	1,760 2 11½	768 18 4	128 2 1	384 7 7	1,888 5 0½	1,153 5 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	97 9 11	..	..	..	97 9 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	6 3 0[2]	..	..	..	38 7 6	..	..	..	38 7 6
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	..	..	..	56	30	..	20	..	..	..	..	6,194	6,757
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	661	764
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	24	..	16	7	10	..	6	..	..	..	..	659	920
Total	..	24	..	16	63	54	..	26	..	..	..	..	7,514	8,441
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	24		16		10		39[7]		..		..		1,995[5]	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		77, £1,330	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	..		..		19		13		..		..		991[6]	
Number of members sick ..	..		..		3		2		..		..		1,065	
Period of sickness	..		..		9 w. 2 d.		12 w. 4 d.		..		..		6,963 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		48, £460	

[1] Including £5 1s. 2d. deducted belonging to another fund.—[2] To the credit of the Lodge Extension Fund.—[3] These amounts are the totals of the Grand Lodge dues paid by lodges in Victoria according to the statements of the lodges; the balances of the amounts received by Grand Lodge are placed in other receipts.—[4] This amount is the total of the funeral donations paid to members of lodges in Victoria according to the statements of the lodges; the balance of funeral donations paid is placed in other expenditure.—[5] One hundred and ninety-eight of these were admitted by clearance.—[6] One hundred and thirty-eight of these left by clearance.—[7] Including balances at beginning of year.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

	1 Little John. Ballarat. 1861.		2 Pride of Linton. Linton. 1862.		3 Talbot. Talbot. 1862.		4 Stawell. Stawell. 1862.		5 Liberty. Creswick. 1862.		6 Star of the West. Happy Valley. 1863.		7 Hope of Denmark. Buninyong. 1863.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	427 12 11	−6 9 5	509 15 11	−148 7 2	252 1 1	−198 11 3	134 7 9	−7 2 6	412 10 10	−10 10 5	792 6 1	−75 9 2	609 14 8	−82 15 6
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	104 13 2	69 15 5	50 14 10	33 16 7	57 7 5	39 8 4	145 1 0	96 14 0	54 17 9	36 12 2	63 1 1	42 1 3	70 9 10	46 13 10
Special levies	..	27 0 0	..	9 18 0	..	3 2 0	..	40 0 0	..	17 18 6	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 4 0	..	..	..	..	..	2 7 6	..	..	..	..	..	0 10 0	..
Interest	15 5 7	..	17 6 3	..	..	..	2 11 0	..	32 5 0	..	35 12 10	..	22 10 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 13 6	..	0 6 6	..	7 3 2	..	11 12 0	..	1 16 1	..	1 6 0	..	..
Total Receipts ..	120 2 9	99 8 11	68 1 1	44 1 1	57 7 5	49 13 6	149 19 6	148 6 0	87 2 9	56 6 9	98 13 11	43 7 3	93 9 10	46 13 10
Total	547 15 8	92 19 6	577 17 0	−104 6 1	309 8 6	−148 17 9	284 7 3	141 3 6	499 13 7	45 16 4	891 0 0	−32 1 11	703 4 6	−36 1 8
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	83 19 6	..	90 8 11	..	17 4 9	..	73 2 0	..	103 0 0	..	46 3 4	..	35 2 6	..
Medical attendance	..	49 9 0	..	25 18 9	..	40 9 6	..	110 16 6	..	28 17 9	..	42 4 10	..	33 2 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	22 17 0	8 10 6	10 2 0	4 0 5	12 16 0	4 18 4	30 8 6	11 7 3	11 8 0	4 12 4	13 10 0	5 9 3	15 6 6	6 13 0
Management	..	28 2 0	..	15 14 0	..	20 0 0	..	26 0 6	..	21 2 10	..	20 17 0	..	16 8 6
Other expenditure	..	..	..	0 12 6	..	..	..	5 7 1	..	2 13 0	..	..	..	9 6 6
Total Expenditure ..	106 16 6	86 1 6	100 10 11	46 5 8	30 0 9	65 7 10	103 10 6	153 11 4	114 8 0	57 5 11	59 13 4	68 11 1	50 9 0	65 10 5
Balance	440 19 2	6 18 0	477 6 1	−150 11 9	279 7 9	−214 5 7	180 16 9	−12 7 10	385 5 7	−11 9 7	831 6 8	−100 13 0	652 15 6	−101 12 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	362 0 0	..	326 14 4	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	330 0 0	..	686 1 0	..	525 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	78 19 2	6 18 0	..	−150 11 9	65 2 2	−214 5 7	68 8 11	−12 7 10	43 16 0	−11 9 7	44 12 8	−100 13 0	26 3 5	−101 12 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	150 11 9	..	214 5 7	..	12 7 10	..	11 9 7	..	100 13 0	..	101 12 1	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	57	54	24	23	31	29	72	71	29	26	34	33	35	35
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	2	3	1	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total	59	57	25	23	31	29	75	74	31	28	34	33	36	35
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	1		..		..		3		..		..		1	
Departures .. { By death ..	3, £60		2, £20 [1]		..		..		1, £20		..		2, £40	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	..		..		2		4		2		1		..	
Number of members sick ..	11		8		6		15		16		8		7	
Period of sickness	147 w.		153 w. 3 d.		27 w. 4 d.		151 w. 1 d.		108 w.		46 w. 1 d.		35 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	2, £20		..		..		..		..		1, £10		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation for one member not paid.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	8 Avoca. Avoca. 1864.		9 Tuaggra. Maryborough. 1864.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Ballarat District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 101 4 1	£ s. d. −1 4 1	£ s. d. 167 4 3	£ s. d. 5 7 6	£ s. d. 3,406 17 7	£ s. d. −525 2 0	£ s. d. 208 5 7	£ s. d. 9 1 10	£ s. d. 3,615 3 2	£ s. d. −516 0 2
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	40 17 7	61 6 2	102 19 9	154 9 8	690 2 5	580 17 5	..	..	690 2 5	580 17 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	97 18 6	..	..	..	97 18 6
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	13 17 6	..	16 19 0	..	..	..	16 19 0	..
Interest	5 0 0	..	5 0 0	..	135 10 8	..	10 4 2	..	145 14 10	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	164 13 0	62 12 10	164 13 0	62 12 10
Other receipts	..	2 4 5	0 16 0 [2]	17 11 1 [3]	0 16 0	44 12 9	..	15 8 6	0 16 0	60 1 3
Total Receipts	45 17 7	63 10 7	122 13 3	172 0 9	843 8 1	723 8 8	174 17 2	78 1 4	1,018 5 3	801 10 0
Total	147 1 8	62 6 6	289 17 6	177 8 3	4,250 5 8	198 6 8	383 2 9	87 3 2	4,633 8 5	285 9 10
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	68 17 3	..	41 4 11	..	559 3 2	..	..	..	559 3 2	..
Medical attendance	..	28 0 2	..	111 11 9	..	470 10 8	..	..	..	470 10 8
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	200 0 0	..	200 0 0	..
District dues	13 0 0	3 14 3	35 5 0	13 7 6	164 13 0	62 12 10	..	..	164 13 0	62 12 10
Management	..	16 3 8	..	40 10 0	..	204 18 6	..	57 19 9	..	262 18 3
Other expenditure	1 17 3 [1]	1 17 0	..	6 6 3	1 17 3	26 2 4	..	32 10 0	1 17 3	58 12 4
Total Expenditure	83 14 6	49 15 1	76 9 11	171 15 6	725 13 5	764 4 4	200 0 0	90 9 9	925 13 5	854 14 1
Balance	63 7 2	12 11 5	213 7 7	5 12 9	3,524 12 3	−565 17 8	183 2 9	−3 6 7	3,707 15 0	−569 4 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	63 7 2	..	200 0 0	..	2,593 2 6	..	100 0 0	..	2,693 2 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	12 11 5	13 7 7	5 12 9	340 9 11	−565 17 8	79 16 2	−3 6 7	420 6 1	−569 4 3
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	590 19 10	..	3 6 7	..	594 6 5	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	32	31	86	82	..	..	..	..	400	384
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	8	9
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	..	2	10	..	..	..	..	5	12
Total	34	32	88	94	..	..	..	..	413	405
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	..		18		..		..		23 [4]	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		..		..		9, £160	
Departures { Otherwise	1		12		..		..		22 [5]	
Number of members sick	12		10		..		..		93	
Period of sickness	144 w.		41 w. 2 d.		..		..		854 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		4, £40	

BENDIGO DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Queen of the Forest. Sandhurst. 1861.		2 Pride of the Forest. Golden Square, Sandhurst. 1861.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,367 3 5½	£ s. d. −17 9 11	£ s. d. 621 2 4½	£ s. d. 525 1 1½
RECEIPTS.				
Contributions	311 19 0	207 19 8	285 13 0	186 0 4
Special levies	..	49 15 0	..	76 16 6
Initiation fees, &c.	9 1 0	..	0 7 6	..
Interest	72 19 6	..	23 10 8	14 6 0
District dues	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	2 10 0 [6]	36 4 4	12 2 2 [7]	19 16 0
Total Receipts	396 9 6	293 19 0	321 13 4	296 18 10
Total	1,763 12 11½	276 9 1	942 15 8½	821 19 11½
EXPENDITURE.				
Sick pay	200 3 4	..	320 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	150 19 3	..	158 13 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..
District dues	95 14 0	22 1 0	82 4 0	23 18 9
Management	..	94 4 9	..	98 2 1
Other expenditure	12 12 4 [6]	12 5 0	..	568 3 4 [8]
Total Expenditure	308 9 8	279 10 0	402 14 0	848 17 8
Balance	1,455 3 3½	−3 0 11	540 1 8½	−26 17 8½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.				
Invested at interest	1,421 19 6	..	104 9 4	..
Invested in halls	..	..	400 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	10 12 11½	−3 0 11	8 14 8	−26 17 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	22 10 10	..	26 17 8½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	166	168	153	142
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	6	5
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	4	..	..
Total	173	172	159	147
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.				
Admitted	5		1	
Departures { By death	2, £40		4, £80	
Departures { Otherwise	4		9	
Number of members sick	34		40	
Period of sickness	304 w. 1 d.		498 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		1, £10 [9]	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Refunded from Incidental Fund.—[3] Including 5s. 1d. error in balance.—[4] Two of these admitted by clearance.—[5] Five of these left by clearance.—[6] The district members being included with the members of No. 1 Court these amounts were received from and paid to the district on their account during the year.—[7] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[8] Including £559 15s. 4d., amount invested in hall, written off.—[9] Widow.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

BENDIGO DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	3 Happy Valley. Eaglehawk. 1861.		4 Bendigo. Sandhurst. 1861.		5 Banner of Hope. Kangaroo Flat. 1862.		6 Sherwood. Huntly. 1862.		7 King of the Forest. Long Gully, Sandhurst. 1862.		8 Alexandra. Sandhurst. 1862.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 842 9 6½	£ s. d. 25 4 1½	£ s. d. 2,578 14 8¼	£ s. d. −103 14 6¼	£ s. d. 337 16 1½	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 197 13 3	£ s. d. 27 5 3	£ s. d. 1,004 8 3	£ s. d. 135 19 2½	£ s. d. 101 16 11	£ s. d. −26 10 1
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	325 15 10½	234 4 5½	342 11 10½	228 10 9½	66 7 11	49 0 10	96 4 5	63 6 2	285 5 1	189 11 5	74 0 0	49 7 3
Special levies	..	35 15 6	..	31 0 6	..	11 0 0	..	1 9 0	..	14 2 0	..	22 6 6
Initiation fees, &c.	11 6 6	0 10 0	14 16 0	1 11 6	3 11 0	..	0 5 0	..	6 13 6	..	5 13 0	..
Interest	43 7 1	..	151 10 0	..	7 17 7	..	8 0 0	1 10 0	75 19 8	..	5 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	10 8 6	..	86 9 3	..	11 11 0	..	1 13 8	..	1 3 6	..	14 0 9
Total Receipts	380 9 5½	280 18 5½	508 17 10½	347 12 0½	77 16 6	71 11 10	104 9 5	67 18 10	367 18 3	204 16 11	84 13 0	85 14 6
Total	1,222 19 0	306 2 7	3,087 12 6¾	243 17 6¼	415 12 7½	71 11 10	302 2 8	95 4 1	1,372 6 6	340 16 1½	186 9 11	59 4 5
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	215 10 10	..	279 19 2	..	46 8 4	..	125 12 6	..	237 10 10	..	57 10 10	..
Medical attendance	..	178 18 6	..	234 3 6	..	35 18 3	..	60 7 6	..	157 10 6	..	48 15 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	99 2 6	22 7 6	107 18 0	23 17 6	19 4 0	5 5 3	25 15 0	6 4 0	83 3 6	19 19 0	23 2 0	5 5 0
Management	..	71 14 9	..	104 19 4	..	27 13 0	..	19 7 6	..	61 8 8	..	30 6 0
Other expenditure	..	2 15 6	2 14 6[1]	10 1 0	..	0 8 6½	..	3 19 0	..	3 7 6	..	2 8 9
Total Expenditure	314 13 4	275 16 3	390 11 8	373 1 4	65 12 4	69 5 0½	151 7 6	89 18 0	320 14 4	242 5 8	80 12 10	86 15 6
Balance	908 5 8	30 6 4	2,697 0 10¾	−129 3 9¾	350 0 3½	2 6 9½	150 15 2	5 6 1	1,051 12 2	98 10 5½	105 17 1	−27 11 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	805 12 9	..	2,450 0 0	..	150 10 6	..	150 0 0	..	1,051 12 2	72 3 7½	75 11 1	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	183 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	102 12 11	30 6 4	117 17 1	−129 3 9¾	16 9 9½	2 6 9½	0 15 2	5 6 1	..	26 6 10	0 16 5	−27 11 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	129 3 9¾	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29 9 7	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	180	167	193	184	36	31	50	39	150	148	42	39
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	1	4	..	..	..	..	1	6	3	1	..	..
Not entitled to benefits: New	1	5	..	4	..	4	..	1	..	2	2	..
Total	182	176	193	188	36	35	51	46	153	151	44	39
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	5		8		4		1		3		2	
Departures: By death	4, £80		4, £80		2, £40		..		2, £40		2, £40	
Departures: Otherwise	7		9		3		6		3		5	
Number of members sick	38		35		8		15		39		11	
Period of sickness	289 w. 2 d.		408 w. 4 d.		63 w. 4 d.		210 w. 1 d.		401 w. 5 d.		120 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		2, £20		..		..		3, £30		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other courts.

BENDIGO DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	9 Victoria. California Gully, Sandhurst. 1863.		10 Hearts of Oak. Echuca. 1864.		11 Pride of Marong. Marong. 1871.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Bendigo District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 609 11 5½	£ s. d. 258 18 8½	£ s. d. 410 18 5	£ s. d. 0 17 2	£ s. d. 314 16 4¾	£ s. d. −4 12 5¼	£ s. d. 8,386 10 10½	£ s. d. 820 18 7½	£ s. d. 337 3 4	£ s. d. 27 7 3	£ s. d. 8,723 14 2½	£ s. d. 848 5 10½
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	269 16 8	179 17 8	63 6 6	42 10 11	25 8 1½	16 19 0½	2,146 8 5½	1,447 8 6½	..	..	2,146 8 5½	1,447 8 6½
Special levies	..	3 8 6	..	22 5 6	..	1 13 0	..	269 12 0	..	..	..	269 12 0
Initiation fees, &c.	8 17 0	..	..	..	..	..	60 10 6	2 1 6	..	..	60 10 6	2 1 6
Interest	30 17 6	10 16 0	.. [2]	..	13 18 7	..	433 0 7	26 12 0	8 7 0	..	441 7 7	26 12 0
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	638 16 6	150 0 0	638 16 6	150 0 0
Other receipts	..	32 0 8	1 3 0 [2]	0 4 0	..	..	15 15 2	213 11 8	..	51 0 7	15 15 2	264 12 3
Total Receipts	309 11 2	226 2 10	64 9 6	65 0 5	39 6 8½	18 12 0½	2,655 14 8½	1,959 5 8½	647 3 6	201 0 7	3,302 18 2½	2,160 6 3½
Total	919 2 7½	485 1 6½	475 7 11	65 17 7	354 3 1¼	13 19 7¼	11,042 5 7	2,780 4 4	984 6 10	228 7 10	12,026 12 5	3,008 12 2
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	148 16 8	..	23 16 8	..	23 6 8	..	1,679 5 10	..	..	..	1,679 5 10	..
Medical attendance	..	152 10 0	..	36 19 2	..	15 0 0	..	1,229 15 11	..	..	..	1,229 15 11
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	638 16 6	..	570 0 0	..	570 0 0	..
District dues	78 13 6	14 8 6	16 10 0	4 16 0	7 10 0	1 17 6	..	150 0 0	..	..	638 16 6	150 0 0
Management	..	60 7 6	..	23 8 4	..	5 9 5	..	597 1 4	..	155 3 8	..	752 5 0
Other expenditure	6 7 5 [1]	14 15 11	..	..	..	0 15 6	21 14 3	619 0 0½	56 18 6 [4]	28 16 6	78 12 9	647 16 6½
Total Expenditure	233 17 7	242 1 11	40 6 8	65 3 6	30 16 8	23 2 5	2,339 16 7	2,595 17 3½	626 18 6	184 0 2	2,966 15 1	2,779 17 5½
Balance	685 5 0½	242 19 7½	435 1 3	0 14 1	323 6 5¼	−9 2 9¾	8,702 9 0	184 7 0½	357 8 4	744 7 8	9,059 17 4	228 14 8½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	643 10 0	220 0 0	412 4 0	..	298 6 10	..	7,563 16 2	292 3 7½	172 4 2	42 12 2	7,736 0 4	334 15 9½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	583 0 0	..	..	..	583 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	41 15 0½	22 19 7½	22 17 3	0 14 1	15 16 9½	−9 2 9¾	338 8 1	−107 16 7	185 4 2	1 15 6	523 12 3	−106 1 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	9 2 9¾	..	217 4 9	..	..	..	217 4 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	140	141	31	33	15	15	..	..	..	..	1,156	1,107
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	16
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	25
Total	146	146	33	33	15	15	..	..	..	..	1,185	1,148
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	5		..		..		..		..		34 [5]	
Departures { By death	4, £80		..		..		..		..		24, £480	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		..		..		..		47 [6]	
Number of members sick	38		6		5		..		..		269	
Period of sickness	184 w. 5 d.		23 w. 5 d.		23 w. 2 d.		..		..		2,528 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		9, £90	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Balance due for funeral donations 1887.—[2] The Secretary states that interest for 1888 will be credited in 1889 balance sheet.—[3] Received by sale of property held on mortgage.—[4] £26 18s. 6d. difference between statements of district dues, and £30 difference between statements of funeral donations paid.—[5] Six of these were admitted by clearance.—[6] Four of these left by clearance.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

GEELONG AND WESTERN DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Barwon Rise. Geelong. 1861.		2 Belmont. Germantown. 1863.		3 Triumph. South Geelong. 1863.		4 Advance. West Geelong. 1865.		5 Duke of Edinburgh. Portarlington. 1867.		6 Prince of Wales. Drysdale. 1870.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Geelong and Western District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 883 0 6	£ s. d. 31 9 4	£ s. d. 420 7 6	£ s. d. 0 3 8½	£ s. d. 383 9 10	£ s. d. 4 16 2	£ s. d. 588 1 4	£ s. d. 30 11 3	£ s. d. 361 11 7	£ s. d. 4 1 5	£ s. d. 187 9 0	£ s. d. 3 17 2	£ s. d. 2,823 19 9	£ s. d. 74 19 0½	£ s. d. 1,140 17 3	£ s. d. 37 11 6	£ s. d. 3,964 17 0	£ s. d. 112 10 6½
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	140 1 0	150 15 0	38 16 0½	64 8 0	47 1 4	53 3 9	90 0 0	100 0 0	69 11 9	59 15 0	67 8 0	58 4 10	452 18 1½	486 6 7	..	..	452 18 1½	486 6 7
Special levies	..	10 0 0	..	4 12 0	..	..	..	..	..	8 13 0	..	7 2 0	..	30 7 0	..	..	..	30 7 0
Initiation fees, &c.	0 2 6	4 0 0	3 0 0	4 10 0	..	1 5 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	0 5 0	2 5 0	1 0 0	3 10 0	6 7 6	16 10 0	..	..	6 7 6	16 10 0
Interest	58 1 9	..	20 6 0	..	17 17 10	..	28 0 0	..	19 14 7	..	4 16 0	..	148 16 2	..	60 12 3	..	209 8 5	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	90 14 6	51 6 9	90 14 6	51 6 9
Other receipts	..	2 3 0	..	0 17 0	..	1 4 0	..	12 0 0	..	2 7 6	..	0 17 6	..	19 9 0	..	8 14 7	..	28 3 7
Total Receipts	198 5 3	166 18 0	62 2 0½	74 7 0	64 19 2	55 12 9	120 0 0	113 0 0	89 11 4	73 0 6	73 4 0	69 14 4	608 1 9½	552 12 7	151 6 9	60 1 4	759 8 6½	612 13 11
Total	1,081 5 9	198 7 4	482 9 6½	74 10 8½	448 9 0	60 8 11	708 1 4	143 11 3	451 2 11	77 1 11	260 13 0	73 11 6	3,432 1 6½	627 11 7½	1,292 4 0	97 12 10	4,724 5 6½	725 4 5½
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	148 18 4	..	46 6 8	..	70 10 6	..	65 0 0	..	90 18 4	..	47 13 4	..	469 7 2	..	..	..	469 7 2	..
Medical attendance	..	109 0 0	..	49 7 4½	..	30 9 11	..	70 0 0	..	51 6 0	..	54 14 0	..	364 17 3½	..	..	..	364 17 3½
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	130 0 0	..	130 0 0	..
District dues	27 4 0	15 6 0	12 17 6	6 19 6	9 19 0	5 8 0	17 9 6	9 14 3	11 4 0	6 9 9	12 0 6	7 9 3	90 14 6	51 6 9	..	..	90 14 6	51 6 9
Management	..	36 17 9	..	13 17 0	..	14 0 8	..	..	..	16 9 3	..	10 6 6	..	91 11 2	..	41 6 0	..	132 17 2
Other expenditure	..	3 4 1	..	0 14 0	..	1 19 7	..	..	..	0 14 0	..	0 15 8	..	7 7 4	13 0 6	6 4 9	13 0 6	13 12 1
Total Expenditure	176 2 4	164 7 10	59 4 2	70 17 10½	80 9 6	51 18 2	82 9 6	79 14 3	102 2 4	74 19 0	59 13 10	73 5 5	560 1 8	515 2 6½	143 0 6	47 10 9	703 2 2	562 13 3½
Balance	905 3 5	33 19 6	423 5 4½	3 12 10	367 19 6	8 10 9	625 11 10	63 17 0	349 0 7	2 2 11	200 19 2	0 6 1	2,871 19 10½	112 9 1	1,149 3 6	50 2 1	4,021 3 4½	162 11 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	902 3 9	..	404 18 9	..	367 19 6	5 16 8	625 11 10	20 0 0	331 13 11	..	157 0 0	..	2,789 7 9	25 16 8	1,112 0 1	..	3,901 7 10	25 16 8
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	2 19 8	33 19 6	18 6 7½	3 12 10	..	2 14 1	..	43 17 0	17 6 8	2 2 11	43 19 2	0 6 1	82 12 1½	86 12 5	37 3 5	50 2 1	119 15 6½	136 14 6
Illegally paid to Incl Fnu	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	101	101	37	40	32	34	61	61	33	44	49	45	..	..	..	..	313	325
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	1	..	3	1	1	4	4	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	14
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	1	8	8	1	3	1	1	8	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	20	19
Total	103	103	45	51	34	38	66	66	48	50	49	50	..	..	..	..	345	358
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	4		12		5		2		3		7		..		..		33 [1]	
Departures { By death	2, £40		1, £20		1, £20		2, £40		..		..		..		..		6, £120	
Departures { Otherwise	2		5		..		..		1		6		..		..		14	
Number of members sick	21		8		8		14		11		9		..		..		71	
Period of sickness	296 w. 4 d.		47 w. 1 d.		76 w. 1 d.		65 w.		123 w. 3 d.		86 w. 4 d.		..		..		695 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £10		..		..		..		..		1, £10	

[1] One of these admitted by clearance.

GRENVILLE DISTRICT.

	1 Foresters' Home. Smythesdale. 1861.		2 Good Intent. Scarsdale. 1862.		3 Merry Foresters. Carngham. 1879.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Grenville District.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established												
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	959 5 2	2 3 8	128 14 8	6 8 3	415 6 9	−13 18 11	1,503 6 7	−5 7 0	41 4 3	−11 12 11	1,544 10 10	−16 19 11
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	39 0 0	60 9 4½	64 2 1	68 12 4	39 18 8	59 18 6	143 0 9	189 0 2½	..	..	143 0 9	189 0 2½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	6 17 4	..	6 17 4	..	..	..	6 17 4
Initiation fees, &c.	1 1 0	..	..	..	1 5 0	..	2 6 0	..	..	..	2 6 0	..
Interest	57 19 3	..	4 0 0	..	16 14 0	..	78 13 3	..	..	..	78 13 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45 4 4	12 7 8	45 4 4	12 7 8
Other receipts	3 7 3[1]	0 2 0	..	..	..	..	3 7 3	0 2 0	0 2 2[4]	1 9 4	3 9 5	1 11 4
Total Receipts	101 7 6	60 11 4½	68 2 1	68 12 4	57 17 8	66 15 10	227 7 3	195 19 6½	45 6 6	13 17 0	272 13 9	209 16 6½
Total	1,060 12 8	62 15 0½	196 16 9	75 0 7	473 4 5	52 16 11	1,730 13 10	190 12 6½	86 10 9	2 4 1	1,817 4 7	192 16 7½
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	59 5 8	..	68 7 2	..	27 16 6	..	155 9 4	..	..	..	155 9 4	..
Medical attendance	..	28 1 0	..	37 12 2	..	29 11 8	..	95 4 10	..	..	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 0 0	..	40 0 0	95 4 10
District dues	14 11 0	5 4 0	16 6 4	3 15 8	14 7 0	3 8 0	45 4 4	12 7 8	..	..	45 4 4	12 7 8
Management	..	27 5 0	..	22 10 0	..	20 0 0	..	69 15 0	..	10 0 0	..	79 15 0
Other expenditure	155 0 0[2]	2 18 6½[3]	..	..	..	..	155 0 0	2 18 6½	..	..	155 0 0	2 18 6½
Total Expenditure	228 16 8	63 8 6½	84 13 6	63 17 10	42 3 6	52 19 8	355 13 8	180 6 0½	40 0 0	10 0 0	395 13 8	190 6 0½
Balance	831 16 0	−0 13 6	112 3 3	11 2 9	431 0 11	−0 2 9	1,375 0 2	10 6 6	46 10 9	−7 15 11	1,421 10 11	2 10 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	753 0 0	..	100 0 0	..	375 0 0	..	1,228 0 0	..	..	..	1,228 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	50 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	28 2 6	−0 13 6	12 3 3	11 2 9	55 18 2	−0 2 9	96 3 11	10 6 6	38 14 10	−7 15 11	134 18 9	2 10 7
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	0 13 6	..	..	..	0 2 9	..	0 16 3	..	7 15 11	..	8 12 2	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	32	31	36	35	32	32	..	..	..	..	100	98
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	1	6	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	7	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	32	33	42	39	33	33	..	..	..	..	107	105
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	1		..		1		..		..		2	
Departures { By death	..		1, £20		1, £20		..		..		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	..		2		..		..		..		2	
Number of members sick	8		11		8		..		..		27	
Period of sickness	137 w. 5 d.		68 w. 3 d.		28 w. 2 d.		..		..		234 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..	

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

	1 Victoria. Melbourne. 1850.		2 City of Lincoln. Carlton. 1854.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	4,323 10 0½	108 10 0½	3,697 1 1½	235 8 9¼
RECEIPTS.				
Contributions	428 15 7	488 2 1	263 17 1½	300 15 1½
Special levies	..	15 5 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 19 3	19 17 6	1 11 3	8 17 6
Interest	281 5 1	..	260 7 3	14 0 0
District dues	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	17 7 0	2 10 0[7]	47 14 0
Total Receipts	712 19 11	540 11 7	528 5 7½	371 6 7½
Total	5,036 9 11½	649 1 7½	4,225 6 9¼	606 15 4¾
EXPENDITURE.				
Sick pay	320 18 7	..	197 4 2	..
Medical attendance	..	310 3 8	..	244 3 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..
District dues	101 9 3	15 6 3	65 3 0	10 0 3
Management	..	143 4 0	..	93 5 4
Other expenditure	29 11 3[5]	45 6 7	31 0 0[5]	22 19 3
Total Expenditure	451 19 1	514 0 6	293 7 2	370 8 7
Balance	4,584 10 10½	135 1 1½	3,931 19 7¼	236 6 9¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.				
Invested at interest	4,518 0 0	..	3,762 1 9	200 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	66 10 10½	135 1 1½	169 17 10¼	36 6 9¾
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	290	293	195	191
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	7	8	..	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	15	9	7
Total	304	316	204	201
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.				
Admitted	39		17	
Departures { By death	8, £140[6]		4, £80	
Departures { Otherwise	19		16	
Number of members sick	62		27	
Period of sickness	455 w.		292 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Received on sale of property.—[2] Written off for depreciation of property.—[3] Including £1 3s. 6½d., error in balance.—[4] Difference between statements of courts and District as to District funeral dues.—[5] Sick pay advanced for other courts.—[6] One member not entitled to benefits at time of death.—[7] "Drawn on account of this fund."

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	3 Perseverance. Collingwood. 1857.		4 Good Intent. St. Kilda. 1858.		5 Industry. Fitzroy. 1858.		6 Collingwood. Collingwood. 1859.		7 Sherwood Forest. Clifton Hill. 1859.		8 Robin Hood. Richmond. 1859.		9 Happy Home. Melbourne. 1859.		10 Friendship. Carlton. 1859.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 8,102 16 1	£ s. d. 108 9 9	£ s. d. 818 12 5¼	£ s. d. 115 0 0¾	£ s. d. 1,304 16 3½	£ s. d. 291 15 6½	£ s. d. 165 2 5¾	£ s. d. 67 13 2¼	£ s. d. 55 5 5	£ s. d. 16 9 2½	£ s. d. 3,512 7 4	£ s. d. 9 13 0	£ s. d. 86 1 9½	£ s. d. 2 8 0	£ s. d. 1,551 16 4	£ s. d. 110 8 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	484 19 1	547 9 2	214 0 8½	256 9 8½	189 14 10	220 10 10	123 12 10	144 1 10	124 15 11¾	143 5 11¾	478 8 9	591 11 6	107 19 1½	116 8 3	242 13 7½	278 13 7½
Special levies	..	..	..	7 4 9	..	..	..	5 7 0	42 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	11 7 6	40 19 6	1 12 6	15 10 0	1 9 9	1 17 3	1 7 6	24 10 6	2 0 0	3 7 0	5 3 0	29 13 0	..	2 19 0	3 1 6	7 0 0
Interest	35 0 0	..	71 8 3	..	66 0 0	7 5 10	8 5 7	..	7 3 0	..	195 8 11	..	4 0 0	..	118 14 6	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	415 10 0[1]	9 11 6	50 0 0[3]	11 3 0	..	9 13 6	..	4 17 9	81 9 3[5]	8 16 0	..	29 17 6	..	21 6 0	..	6 15 6
Total Receipts	946 16 7	598 0 2	337 1 5½	290 7 5½	257 4 7	239 7 5	133 5 11	178 17 1	258 3 2¾	155 8 11¾	679 0 8	651 2 0	111 19 1½	140 13 3	364 9 7½	292 9 1½
Total	9,049 12 8	706 9 11	1,155 13 10¾	405 7 6¼	1,562 0 10½	531 2 11½	298 8 4¾	246 10 3¼	313 8 7¾	171 18 2¼	4,191 8 0	660 15 0	198 0 11	143 1 3	1,916 5 11½	402 17 1½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	334 6 8	..	201 6 8	..	279 6 8	..	65 10 0	..	86 6 8	..	319 5 8	..	61 0 0	..	273 0 6	..
Medical attendance	..	348 12 3	..	207 8 3	..	133 4 1	..	102 15 0	..	92 19 3	..	463 8 0	..	88 10 7	..	182 0 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	120 18 9	18 0 0	55 8 9	9 4 0	44 2 9	15 10 6	38 16 6	5 11 3	29 16 3	4 14 9	124 13 6	18 10 9	23 10 9	9 5 4	53 9 0	9 0 6
Management	..	131 10 6	..	65 5 0	..	69 6 5	..	42 15 2	..	50 4 3	..	127 11 6	..	34 7 11	..	104 8 3
Other expenditure	3,798 0 3[2]	155 7 9	..	66 6 1	..	16 0 6	..	16 4 6	..	6 18 5	..	39 15 9	..	0 5 0	..	22 1 0
Total Expenditure	4,253 5 8	653 10 6	256 15 5	348 3 4	323 9 5	234 1 6	104 6 6	167 5 11	116 2 11	154 16 8	443 19 2	649 6 0	84 10 9	132 8 10	326 9 6	317 10 1
Balance	4,796 7 0	52 19 5	898 18 5¾	57 4 2¼	1,238 11 5½	297 1 5½	194 1 10¾	79 4 4¼	197 5 8¾	17 1 6¼	3,747 8 10	11 9 0	113 10 2	10 12 5	1,589 16 5½	85 7 0½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	750 0 0	50 0 0	840 0 0	50 0 0	1,175 0 0	175 0 0	176 12 9¾	67 13 2¼	150 0 0	..	2,705 5 11	..	100 0 0	10 0 0	1,172 10 0	..
Invested in halls	4,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,024 2 6	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	46 7 0	2 19 5	58 18 5¾	7 4 2¼	63 11 5½	122 1 5½	17 9 1	11 11 2	47 5 8¾	17 1 6¼	18 0 5	11 9 0	13 10 2	0 12 5	417 6 5½	85 7 0½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	317	339	150	161	131	134	87	96	88	87	337	360	82	68	171	178
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	14	18	35	20	6	2	5	7	7	7	6	2	4	16	13	0
Not entitled to benefits: New	25	38	10	8	2	4	10	31	8	4	15	18	2	2	2	4
Total	356	395	195	189	139	140	102	134	103	98	358	380	88	86	186	182
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	62		20		6		40		6		46		3		15	
Departures: By death	4, £80		5, £100		1, £20		1[4]		2, £40		3, £60		4, £80		2, £40	
Departures: Otherwise	19		21		4		7		9		21		1		17	
Number of members sick	54		29		28		16		12		63		10		29	
Period of sickness	391 w. 3 d.		309 w. 5 d.		369 w. 1 d.		118 w.		184 w. 4 d.		345 w. 2 d.		71 w. 3 d.		443 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	4, £35		1, £10		1, £10		..		1, £10		2, £20		2, £20		..	

[1] £100 and £300 transferred from the Incidental and Building Funds respectively, and £15 10s. fines credited to Sick and Funeral Fund.—[2] Written off value of hall in 1887 and 1888.—[3] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.—[4] Not entitled to benefits at death.—[5] Donations from other courts, £79 5s. 3d., and fines, £2 4s.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	11 Benevolence. Prahran. 1859.		12 Happiness. Preston. 1859.		13 Williamstown. Williamstown. 1859.		14 Friar Tuck. Fitzroy. 1859.		15 Richmond. Richmond. 1860.		16 Prince of Wales. South Melbourne. 1860.		17 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1860.		18 Fitzroy. Collingwood. 1860.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,722 13 9½	5 0 3	791 13 6½	33 17 8	1,184 9 9½	7 10 8	1,954 0 11½	127 18 7	2,102 10 4½	153 9 10½	2,365 11 8	67 15 9½	206 15 8¼	25 12 1¼	827 12 2½	33 10 0½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	211 6 3	247 15 0	94 19 1½	109 8 1½	291 2 9	334 10 9	388 2 0½	452 12 6½	263 15 7½	301 7 11½	472 15 11	561 16 8	192 11 2	233 10 8	158 18 1½	182 3 1½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	10 6 0	..	14 2 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 2 6	9 5 0	0 14 9	5 9 0	1 6 0	6 4 0	3 4 6	13 3 0	1 10 0	11 6 6	6 18 6	28 5 6	0 19 3	3 12 6	3 10 0	18 13 0
Interest	93 12 1	..	..	..	75 12 10	..	123 3 0	..	132 5 0	4 4 0	161 5 6	..	6 13 10	..	36 3 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	23 1 9	..	3 4 9	5 13 8[3]	79 5 7	..	28 15 0	..	10 10 2	..	25 2 1	20 0 0[5]	4 0 11	..	11 0 6
Total receipts	306 0 10	280 1 9	95 13 10½	118 1 10½	373 15 3	430 6 4	514 9 6½	508 13 0½	397 10 7½	327 8 7½	640 19 11	615 4 3	220 4 3	241 4 1	198 11 4½	211 16 7½
Total	2,028 14 7½	285 2 0	887 7 5	151 19 6½	1,558 5 0½	437 17 0	2,468 10 6	636 11 7½	2,500 1 0	480 18 6	3,006 11 7	683 0 0½	426 19 11¼	266 16 2¼	1,026 3 7	245 6 8
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	49 14 2	..	120 5 0	..	298 8 2	..	233 15 10	..	148 11 2	203 15 6	428 0 0	..	236 5 10	..	109 5 0	..
Medical attendance	..	181 14 1½	..	69 16 0	..	338 0 11	..	320 6 8	..	..	..	341 3 6	..	147 3 9	..	127 6 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	50 3 6	7 18 0	22 18 0	3 13 3	67 16 6	11 6 0	94 8 3	14 11 0	63 5 3	11 14 3	121 3 0	38 18 3	45 12 6	16 3 0	41 12 0	6 2 3
Management	..	57 5 3	..	34 15 4	..	75 14 3	..	130 3 2	..	79 10 2	..	126 3 3	..	66 14 3	..	28 4 6
Other expenditure	1 0 0[1]	17 16 0	..	13 6 3	..	11 6 0	..	26 5 0	..	32 1 0	..	9 6 6	..	28 12 9	..	41 7 10
Total expenditure	100 17 8	264 13 4½	143 3 0	121 10 10	366 4 8	436 7 2	328 4 1	491 5 10	211 16 5	327 0 8	549 3 0	515 11 6	281 18 4	258 13 9	150 17 0	203 0 10
Balance	1,927 16 11½	20 8 7½	744 4 5	30 8 8½	1,192 0 4½	1 9 10	2,140 6 5	145 5 9½	2,288 4 7	153 17 10	2,457 8 7	167 8 6½	145 1 7¼	8 2 5¼	875 6 7	42 5 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,789 17 1	..	..	..	658 10 0	..	2,110 0 0	100 0 0	2,170 0 0	100 0 0	1,820 0 0	..	130 0 0	..	806 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	420 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	666 13 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	137 19 10½	20 8 7½	77 11 1	30 8 8½	113 10 4½	1 9 10	30 6 5	45 5 9½	118 4 7	53 17 10	637 8 7	167 8 6½	15 1 7¼	8 2 5¼	69 6 7	42 5 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	141	151	70	68	211	212	284	269	188	190	337	361	141	141	109	117
Not entitled { Unfinancial	6	6	8	6	15	6	9	12	14	10	23	17	5	2	..	..
to benefits { New	9	10	5	4	6	7	8	16	5	7	5	13	4	3	3	10
Total	156	167	83	78	232	225	301	297	207	207	365	391	150	146	112	127
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	20		5		14		21		19		44		7		26	
Departures { By death	1, £20		2, £40		4, £80		6, £120		2, £60[4]		4, £80		3, £60		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	8		8		17		17		17		14		8		9	
Number of members sick	16		14		52		39		21		62		38		21	
Period of sickness	62 w. 2 d.		229 w. 3 d.		415 w. 4 d.		352 w. 5 d.		241 w. 5 d.		505 w.		390 w. 4 d.		138 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	3, £30		1[2]		..		2, £20		1, £10		1, £10		3, £30		1, £10	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other courts.—[2] Husband not entitled to benefits.—[3] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[4] Including £20 for member who died in 1887.—[5] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	19 Brunswick. Fitzroy. 1860.		20 Castlemaine. Castlemaine. 1860.		21 Havelock. Collingwood. 1861.		22 Star of the Forest. Richmond. 1861.		23 Pride of Richmond. Richmond. 1861.		24 Yarraberg. Richmond. 1861.		25 Tarrangower. Maldon. 1861.		26 St. George. Williamstown. 1861.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 2,263 13 3½	£ s. d. 18 1 0	£ s. d. 263 1 10	£ s. d. 48 2 0	£ s. d. 628 0 10	£ s. d. 1 3 3	£ s. d. 1,445 12 6½	£ s. d. 1 18 6½	£ s. d. 196 13 1½	£ s. d. 9 6 0	£ s. d. 823 4 3½	£ s. d. 4 1 0½	£ s. d. 268 16 8	£ s. d. 30 19 11½	£ s. d. 2,357 17 3	£ s. d. 1 18 5½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	183 19 4	212 6 5	90 19 5	103 4 1	57 6 10½	64 16 7½	262 5 3	306 1 9	112 15 4	130 7 4	65 9 0	75 7 0	178 6 3	205 14 3	212 17 1	245 16 1
Special levies	..	5 0 3	..	12 5 0	..	2 2 0	..	9 0 0	..	4 1 6	..	2 10 3	..	77 10 6	..	16 9 6
Initiation fees, &c.	0 10 0	8 11 0	..	2 5 0	0 10 0	2 17 0	4 11 0	23 14 6	1 3 6	12 15 0	0 15 0	6 5 0	1 4 0	0 9 6	2 4 9	15 14 3
Interest	167 8 6	..	12 11 0	..	29 10 5	..	66 8 5	..	7 4 0	..	34 4 3	..	18 0 0	..	176 12 11	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	8 13 6	..	8 18 0	..	2 1 6	4 13 4[1]	26 8 1	..	4 0 3	..	5 3 1	..	3 0 0	..	8 7 0
Total Receipts	351 17 10	234 11 2	103 10 5	126 12 1	87 7 3½	71 17 1½	337 18 0	359 4 4	121 2 10	151 4 1	100 8 3	89 5 4	197 10 3	286 14 3	391 14 9	286 6 10
Total	2,615 11 1½	252 12 2	366 12 3	174 14 1	715 8 1½	73 0 4½	1,783 10 6½	361 2 10½	317 15 11½	160 10 1	923 12 6½	93 6 4½	466 6 11	317 14 2½	2,749 12 0	288 5 3½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	219 8 4	..	165 15 0	..	53 13 4	..	181 15 0	..	33 0 0	..	96 0 0	..	230 0 0	..	141 3 4	..
Medical attendance	..	154 8 3	..	78 19 11	..	40 7 9	..	268 0 6½	..	104 3 11½	..	54 9 9	..	146 19 0	..	210 3 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	45 13 0	7 7 0	20 17 9	3 16 9	15 6 3	2 2 9	68 12 6	12 11 9	29 18 0	4 6 3	16 6 3	2 10 3	42 10 3	6 19 9	53 8 0	8 6 3
Management	..	57 3 3	..	21 0 7	..	21 18 11	..	65 14 6	..	30 17 1	..	26 10 9	..	54 2 9	..	52 16 6
Other expenditure	..	14 0 8	..	3 6 9	..	5 18 0	..	11 8 0	..	14 0 3	..	9 9 0	..	9 17 3	..	12 9 0
Total Expenditure	265 1 4	232 19 2	186 12 9	107 4 0	68 19 7	70 7 5	250 7 6	357 14 9½	62 18 0	153 7 6½	112 6 3	92 19 9	272 10 3	217 18 9	194 11 4	283 15 3
Balance	2,350 9 9½	19 13 0	179 19 6	67 10 1	646 8 6½	2 12 11½	1,533 3 0½	3 8 1	254 17 11½	7 2 6½	811 6 3½	0 6 7½	193 16 8	99 15 5½	2,555 0 8	4 10 0½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	2,350 9 9½	..	178 5 8	62 0 0	640 15 5	..	1,507 13 0	..	200 0 0	..	786 8 1	..	150 4 6½	99 15 5½	2,306 12 5	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	19 13 0	1 13 10	5 10 1	5 13 1½	2 12 11½	25 10 0½	3 8 1	54 17 11½	7 2 6½	24 18 2½	0 6 7½	43 12 1½	..	248 8 3	4 10 0½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	127	142	68	69	36	41	179	188	70	83	48	50	138	130	149	158
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	7	..	..	..	..	8	8	2	4	1	2	9	6	3	5
Not entitled to benefits { New	10	4	..	1	6	3	7	9	7	7	3	1	2	1	8	15
Total	139	153	68	70	42	44	194	205	79	94	52	53	149	137	160	178
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	18		3		4		27		17		6		3		23	
Departures { By death	3, £60		1, £20		1, £20		2, £60[2]		1, £20		..		2, £40		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		1		1		1		5		13		3	
Number of members sick	30		15		9		14		8		15		43		27	
Period of sickness	244 w. 5 d.		228 w. 3d.		53 w. 4 d.		33		33 w.		96 w.		361 w.		256 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		2, £20		..		304 w. 2 d. 1, £10		..		1, £10		1, £10		..	

[1] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[2] £20 paid on account of a death in 1887.—[3] Sick pay advanced for other courts.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	27 Rising Sun. Footscray. 1861.		28 Southern Cross. Richmond. 1861.		29 Pride of St. George. South Brighton. 1861.		30 Reform. Melbourne. 1861.		31 Goodwill. Oakleigh. 1861.		32 Marion. South Yarra. 1861.		33 Clarendon. South Melbourne. 1861.		34 King of the Forest. South Melbourne. 1861.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,990 19 0½	£ s. d. 1 14 6½	£ s. d. 706 0 0	£ s. d. 8 8 7	£ s. d. 1,031 19 3½	£ s. d. 0 1 7	£ s. d. 1,830 3 0	£ s. d. 10 6 3	£ s. d. 995 7 1	£ s. d. 0 2 0½	£ s. d. 1,972 2 4	£ s. d. 20 1 6	£ s. d. 3,157 1 3	£ s. d. 31 6 8	£ s. d. 229 10 4½	£ s. d. 16 3 3
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	305 11 3	361 16 9	124 14 11	142 14 7	157 10 0	186 1 0	228 5 8	262 15 8	79 5 9	92 11 9	272 1 11½	312 10 11½	622 12 9½	711 9 3½	338 8 5½	372 1 5½
Special levies	..	..	..	8 19 0	..	..	..	17 4 0	..	11 8 3	..	10 7 9	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 4 6	17 17 6	1 2 6	9 9 6	0 2 6	3 14 6	1 10 3	8 16 6	0 15 0	7 3 6	3 4 0	16 0 0	5 3 0	36 9 6	2 5 0	17 7 0
Interest	137 3 9	..	33 10 4	..	22 18 0	..	113 16 0	..	17 17 0	..	123 0 6	..	186 7 9	..	12 16 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	18 6 0	..	5 17 6	..	14 9 6	..	16 12 6	..	5 1 0	..	20 7 3	45 1 2	35 15 10	1 0 0[3]	26 4 6
Total Receipts	444 19 6	398 0 3	159 7 9	167 0 7	180 10 6	204 5 0	343 11 11	305 8 8	97 17 9	116 4 6	398 6 5½	359 5 11½	859 4 8½	783 14 7½	354 9 5½	415 12 11½
Total	2,435 18 6½	399 14 9½	865 7 9	175 9 2	1,212 9 9½	204 6 7	2,173 14 11	315 14 11	1,093 4 10	116 6 6½	2,370 8 9½	379 7 5½	4,016 5 11½	815 1 3½	583 19 10	431 16 2½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	167 18 8	..	85 6 8	..	57 16 4	..	212 4 2	..	75 16 8	..	176 18 4	..	733 14 8	..	274 0 10	..
Medical attendance	..	283 0 11	..	109 18 3	..	162 16 3	..	189 10 3	..	73 13 3	..	245 13 2	..	488 7 6	..	256 19 1
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	78 4 6	12 1 3	30 4 3	4 12 3	37 10 0	6 3 9	53 17 9	8 13 6	21 10 0	3 8 3	68 12 0	10 10 3	156 3 3	23 15 6	74 18 0	11 16 3
Management	..	68 3 0	..	43 6 9	..	34 8 10	..	88 10 6	..	29 5 3	..	72 18 4	..	194 6 8	..	98 13 1
Other expenditure	8 6 8[1]	20 12 6	..	12 10 6	0 1 10	0 16 3	..	28 14 6	..	9 19 6	..	22 7 9	..	60 9 11	..	2 11 2
Total Expenditure	254 9 10	383 17 8	115 10 11	170 7 9	95 8 2	204 5 1	266 1 11	315 8 9	97 6 8	116 6 3	245 10 4	351 9 6	889 17 11	766 19 7	348 18 10	369 19 7
Balance	2,181 8 8½	15 17 1½	749 16 10	5 1 5	1,117 1 7½	0 1 6	1,907 13 0	0 6 2	995 18 2	0 0 3½	2,124 18 5½	27 17 11½	3,126 8 0½	48 1 8½	235 1 0	61 16 7½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,890 0 0	..	738 19 6	..	997 2 0	..	1,780 0 0	..	987 0 0	..	1,160 0 0	..	3,000 0 0	..	235 1 0	33 14 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	579 13 11	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	291 8 8½	15 17 1½	10 17 4	5 1 5	119 19 7½	0 1 6	127 13 0	0 6 2	8 18 2	0 0 3½	385 4 6½	27 17 11½	126 8 0½	48 1 8½	..	28 2 7½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	226	233	82	89	122	119	170	162	59	67	184	203	387	423	204	220
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	11	5	3	2	11	1	6	8	..	6	1	44	31	9	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	15	13	7	5	6	1	4	8	2	..	10	12	27	33	15	13
Total	245	257	94	97	130	131	175	176	69	67	200	216	458	487	228	233
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	29		14		6		16		7		30		57		29	
Departures { By death	4, £80		4, £80		..		4, £80		1, £20		4, £80		8, £160		5, £100	
Departures { Otherwise	13		7		5		11		8		10		20		19	
Number of members sick	40		18		11		29		14		24		98		39	
Period of sickness	206 w. 5 d.		85 w. 2 d.		57 w. 5 d.		463 w. 1 d.		75 w. 5 d.		219 w. 5 d.		913 w. 3 d.		363 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	3, £30		2, £20		2, £20		4, £30[2]		..		..		5, £50		..	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other courts.—[2] Husband of one wife not entitled to benefits at her death.—[3] Donation.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	35 Kew. Kew. 1861.		36 Abbotsford. Collingwood. 1861.		37 Forest Home. Rushworth. 1862.		38 Rob Roy. Fitzroy. 1862.		39 Sandridge. Port Melbourne. 1862.		40 Royal Artillery. Melbourne. 1862.		41 Ubique. Melbourne. 1862.		42 Forest Creek. Castlemaine. 1862.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,200 6 9	91 7 7	100 15 8	4 13 10¾	485 16 8½	17 14 2½	211 14 11½	7 2 9½	1,045 4 4½	15 12 9½	520 6 6½	75 5 5½	2,225 7 1	23 13 4	180 5 5½	111 13 10
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	144 14 6½	169 14 9½	46 7 4½	55 7 1½	95 0 1	122 10 9	122 9 2½	140 19 2½	301 10 5	346 14 11	162 16 10	193 15 1	181 11 8	214 10 10	106 11 8	106 11 8
Special levies	..	5 9 9	..	1 16 3	..	..	..	0 10 6	..	11 9 0	..	6 8 3	..	6 13 3	..	3 8 9
Initiation fees, &c.	1 9 6	8 1 0	0 2 6	1 2 6	0 10 0	5 15 0	0 10 0	7 15 0	1 17 6	9 12 0	1 17 3	12 16 3	1 10 0	10 3 0	1 4 6	0 3 6
Interest	72 6 0	2 8 5	1 18 4	..	25 4 9	..	6 9 0	..	52 11 0	..	28 18 0	..	144 16 3	..	10 2 5	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	6 0 5	..	5 16 0	..	13 2 11	..	9 6 6	..	12 16 2	..	13 4 9	..	21 14 6	50 0 0[2]	4 3 3
Total Receipts ..	218 10 0½	191 14 4½	48 8 2½	64 1 10½	120 14 10	141 8 8	129 8 2½	158 11 2½	355 18 11	380 12 1	193 12 1	226 4 4	327 17 11	253 1 7	167 18 7	114 7 2
Total	1,418 16 9½	283 1 11½	149 3 10½	68 15 9¼	606 11 6½	159 2 10½	341 3 2	165 14 0	1,401 3 3½	396 4 10½	713 18 7½	301 9 9½	2,553 5 0	276 14 11	348 4 0½	226 1 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	72 13 4	..	32 10 0	..	76 5 0	..	75 4 8	..	252 16 8	..	56 8 4	..	102 11 8	..	176 17 6	..
Medical attendance	..	110 10 6	..	35 14 0	..	95 2 6	..	103 11 9	..	257 12 4	..	134 18 0	..	161 19 11	..	69 12 10
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	35 15 6	5 11 0	11 3 6	1 16 3	23 7 0	7 3 0	29 2 3	9 5 9	72 11 6	11 9 6	42 6 6	6 8 6	44 0 3	6 16 9	20 15 6	3 8 9
Management	..	59 3 7	..	17 19 0¾	..	26 6 7	..	43 7 6	..	91 5 6	..	61 9 4	..	64 2 3	..	22 1 2½
Other expenditure	..	23 1 5	..	3 1 9	..	14 10 10½	..	9 1 0	5 0 0[1]	24 10 6	..	18 13 3	..	31 7 9	..	54 18 10
Total Expenditure ..	108 8 10	198 6 6	43 13 6	58 11 0¾	99 12 0	143 2 11½	104 6 11	165 6 0	330 8 2	384 17 10	98 14 10	221 9 1	146 11 11	264 6 8	197 13 0	150 1 7½
Balance	1,310 7 11½	84 15 5½	105 10 4½	10 4 8½	506 19 6½	15 19 11	236 16 3	0 8 0	1,070 15 1½	11 7 0½	615 3 9½	80 0 8½	2,406 13 1	12 8 3	150 11 0½	75 19 4½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,310 7 11½	78 4 2½	87 15 6	..	485 16 6	..	217 9 3	..	1,012 0 0	..	379 16 0	..	2,325 0 0	..	150 0 0	73 6 4
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	..	6 11 3	17 14 10½	10 4 8½	21 3 0½	15 19 11	19 7 0	0 8 0	58 15 1½	11 7 0½	235 7 9½	80 0 8½	81 13 1	12 8 3	0 11 0½	2 13 0½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	100	106	33	32	63	66	88	88	213	217	115	120	122	135	73	64
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	3	..	1	4	1	3	8	4	18	18	4	10	13	6	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	12	1	2	2	5	4	4	17	9	7	13	10	6	..	1
Total	106	118	35	38	66	74	100	96	248	244	126	143	145	147	73	65
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	15		3		12		10		17		23		16		2	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		5, £90[2]		1, £20		1, £20		3, £60	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	3		..		4		14		16		5		13		7	
Number of members sick ..	14		3		14		14		38		11		19		22	
Period of sickness	72 w. 4 d.		34 w. 3 d.		77 w. 1 d.		153 w. 2 d.		311 w. 4 d.		57 w. 5 d.		148 w.		268 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		1, £10		2, £20		1, £10		1, £10		1, £10	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other courts.—[2] One member entitled only to half funeral benefits at death.—[3] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.

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	43 Chevy Chase. Daylesford. 1862.		44 Little John. Fitzroy. 1862.		45 Camberwell. Camberwell. 1862.		46 Little John. Kyneton. 1862.		47 Gisborne. Gisborne. 1862.		48 Campbell's Creek. Campbell's Creek. 1862.		49 Dandenong. Dandenong. 1862.		50 Star of Brunswick. Brunswick. 1863.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 853 16 5¼	£ s. d. 261 9 6¼	£ s. d. 1,138 2 6	£ s. d. 102 13 7	£ s. d. 331 9 1½	£ s. d. 24 8 5¾	£ s. d. 1,332 5 8¼	£ s. d. 56 8 5¾	£ s. d. 407 7 9	£ s. d. 125 10 10½	£ s. d. 37 14 1¾	£ s. d. 25 11 10¼	£ s. d. 508 0 6¼	£ s. d. 6 9 1¼	£ s. d. 224 6 6¾	£ s. d. 107 4 3¼
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	198 14 7	231 18 7	189 15 0	218 5 0	68 15 9½	80 0 5¾	173 17 0¾	204 13 0¾	78 2 4	89 19 4	40 10 4	45 11 4	78 2 10	88 7 6	243 4 4	285 7 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	2 8 9	..	..	..	2 19 3	..	..	..	5 18 9	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 17 6	..	1 17 6	12 10 6	0 10 0	2 10 0	1 5 0	16 0 0	0 9 3	2 12 6	..	0 10 0	0 15 6	3 15 6	1 7 6	23 13 6
Interest	40 0 0	..	69 0 0	7 0 0	18 5 7	..	88 18 10	..	16 18 0	5 14 6	2 0 0	..	23 3 0	..	9 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	12 0 10	6 3 4[1]	9 5 9	0 18 0[1]	4 14 0	..	5 11 0	..	1 6 0	10 0 0[2]	1 13 3	..	2 9 0	..	3 5 0
Total Receipts	243 12 1	243 19 5	266 15 10	247 1 3	88 9 4¾	89 13 2¾	264 0 10¾	226 4 0¾	95 9 7	102 11 7	52 10 4	47 14 7	102 1 4	100 10 9	253 11 10	312 5 10
Total	1,097 8 6¼	505 8 11¼	1,404 18 4	349 14 10	419 18 6¾	114 1 8½	1,596 6 7	282 12 6½	502 17 4	228 2 5½	90 4 5¾	73 6 5¼	610 1 10¼	106 19 10¼	477 18 4¾	419 10 1¼
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	208 7 6	..	84 10 0	..	50 6 8	..	98 16 8	..	46 10 0	..	44 9 6	..	90 0 0	..	171 1 8	..
Medical attendance	..	152 11 0	..	143 14 6	..	62 4 1½	..	138 15 0	..	66 10 0	..	29 17 6	..	65 13 0	..	208 11 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	44 13 9	7 1 9	47 4 6	7 6 6	15 19 0	2 12 6	47 19 0	7 10 9	18 13 3	2 19 6	9 0 6	3 6 6	19 3 9	2 7 6	60 7 6	9 10 0
Management	..	66 2 5	..	58 2 2	..	24 16 8	..	41 17 3	..	17 4 6½	..	11 18 0	..	29 11 9¼	..	57 2 4
Other expenditure	..	5 10 0	..	22 0 3	..	2 8 9	..	7 18 4	..	12 9 3	..	10 14 10	..	8 18 4	2 10 0	16 0 0
Total Expenditure	253 1 3	231 5 2	131 14 6	231 3 5	66 5 8	92 2 0½	146 15 8	196 1 4	65 3 3	99 3 3½	53 10 0	55 16 10	109 3 9	106 10 7¼	233 19 2	291 3 4
Balance	844 7 3¼	274 3 9¼	1,273 3 10	118 11 5	353 12 10¼	21 19 8	1,449 10 11	86 11 2½	437 14 1	128 19 2	36 14 5¾	17 9 7¼	500 18 1¼	0 9 3	243 19 2¾	128 6 9¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	840 0 0	260 0 0	775 0 0	100 0 0	228 3 3	..	1,445 9 11	61 0 0	416 2 0	..	35 0 0	15 0 0	455 14 6	..	200 0 0	50 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	120 0 0	..	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	4 7 3¼	14 3 9¼	498 3 10	18 11 5	5 9 7¼	21 19 8	4 1 0	25 11 2½	21 12 1	28 19 2	1 14 5¾	2 9 7¼	45 3 7¼	0 9 3	43 19 2¾	78 6 9¼
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	137	135	129	140	53	48	123	149	59	58	32	27	54	56	173	181
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	5	5	7	4	..	4	8	6	1	2	..	3	..	..	17	14
Not entitled to benefits { New	1	2	6	15	..	1	18	6	..	2	..	..	3	1	10	15
Total	143	142	142	159	53	53	149	161	60	62	32	30	57	57	200	210
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	5		26		4		26		4		..		4		36	
Departures { By death	4, £80		..		..		3, £60		1, £20		1, £20		..		4, £80	
Departures { Otherwise	2		9		4		11		1		1		4		22	
Number of members sick	38		21		10		24		8		9		11		36	
Period of sickness	289 w. 3 d.		163 w.		89 w. 2 d.		100 w. 3 d.		53 w. 4 d.		213 w. 5 d.[3]		100 w. 3 d.		213 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		3, £25		..		..		..		..		..		1, £10	

[1] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[2] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.—[3] The sick pay was paid to members during the year at one half the usual rates.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	51 Inglewood. Inglewood. 1863.		52 Otterburn. Eganstown. 1864.		53 Fryers. Fryerstown. 1864.		54 Violet Grove. Whroo. 1864.		55 Ivanhoe. Heathcote. 1864.		56 Guildford. Guildford. 1864.		57 Star of Mornington. Mornington. 1864.		58 Unity. Gaffney's Creek. 1865.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 517 2 5½	£ s. d. 14 10 3½	£ s. d. 236 10 5	£ s. d. 11 15 9½	£ s. d. 269 19 4	£ s. d. 1 6 1½	£ s. d. 109 16 3¾	£ s. d. 7 17 8¼	£ s. d. 806 10 9	£ s. d. 5 5 8	£ s. d. 14 11 9¾	£ s. d. 2 5 1¼	£ s. d. 731 5 6¼	£ s. d. 16 16 10¼	£ s. d. 131 5 7½	£ s. d. 7 18 3½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	20 2 7½	23 1 7½	110 9 1½	125 13 1½	57 4 10	65 6 1	23 2 9¾	24 15 3¾	85 13 3	97 19 3	26 12 0	30 0 0	97 9 10½	116 19 4½	25 8 7	29 0 7
Special levies	..	..	..	3 19 0	..	3 2 6	..	..	..	3 7 0	3 3 0	2 2 0	..	..	..	9 0 0
Initiation fees, &c.	0 2 6	0 15 0	0 6 9	4 2 9	0 5 0	0 15 0	0 2 6	0 15 0	1 10 0	31 8 0	..	..	1 0 0	9 12 6	..	0 10 0
Interest	61 18 0	..	9 0 0	..	13 6 1	..	4 4 3	..	42 0 0	..	..	..	31 1 0	..	5 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 0 0	0 2 7[1]	4 1 6	0 5 0[3]	2 14 7	..	..	..	6 6 0	25 10 0[7]	1 14 0	0 6 8[9]	5 6 0	..	1 2 6
Total Receipts	82 3 1½	25 16 7½	119 18 5½	137 16 4½	71 0 11	71 18 2	27 9 6¾	25 10 3¾	129 3 3	139 0 3	55 5 0	33 16 0	129 17 6½	131 17 10½	30 8 7	39 13 1
Total	599 5 7	40 6 11	356 8 10½	149 12 2	341 0 3	73 4 3½	137 5 10½	33 8 0	935 14 0	144 5 11	69 16 9¾	36 1 1¼	861 3 0¾	148 14 8¾	161 14 2½	47 11 4¼
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	13 0 0	..	59 3 4	..	69 0 0	..	28 7 6	..	48 13 4	..	39 14 8	..	61 10 0	..	31 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	9 13 6	..	96 17 6	..	49 7 1	..	21 12 0	..	76 0 6	..	21 3 0	..	92 8 0	..	21 6 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	4 15 0	0 15 3	25 2 6	3 19 3	12 4 0	1 19 9	5 11 0	0 17 3	26 1 6	3 13 0	5 8 0	0 18 0	24 12 0	8 9 3	5 8 0	0 18 0
Management	..	12 19 6	..	25 5 3	..	17 1 10	..	2 19 3	..	22 1 7	..	11 8 5	..	22 7 10	..	14 9 6
Other expenditure	..	2 18 3	11 15 9½[2]	6 1 11	..	3 15 0	5 12 0[4]	1 5 5[5]	..	17 5 6	..	0 12 6	..	4 10 3	..	2 19 1
Total Expenditure	17 15 0	26 6 6	96 1 7½	132 3 11	81 4 0	72 3 8	39 10 6	26 13 11	74 14 10	119 0 7	45 2 8	34 1 11	86 2 0	127 15 4	36 8 0	39 12 7
Balance	581 10 7	14 0 5	260 7 3	17 8 3	259 16 3	1 0 7½	97 15 4½	6 14 1	860 19 2	25 5 4	24 14 1¾	1 19 2¼	775 1 0¾	20 19 4¾	125 6 2½	7 18 9½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	580 9 3	9 10 9	150 0 0	..	248 4 10	..	97 15 4½	6 14 1	857 1 6	..	..	..	700 19 0	..	100 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	60 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	1 1 4	4 9 8	50 7 3	17 8 3	11 11 5	1 0 7½	..	..	3 17 8	25 5 4	24 14 1¾	1 19 2¼	74 2 0¾	20 19 4¾	25 6 2½	7 18 9½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	15	15	74	77	40	38	17	14	47	66	19	17	67	72	16	18
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	..	5	2	1	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	6	2	1	..
to benefits { New	..	1	2	5	..	1	2	1	3	26	1	..	7	8	3	..
Total	15	16	81	84	41	39	20	19	50	92	20	17	80	82	20	18
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	1		8		1		1		43		..		11		..	
Departures { By death	..		1, £20		..		1, £20		..		1, £20		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	..		4		3		1		1		2		8		2	
Number of members sick	7		14		11		2		8		5		12		7	
Period of sickness	13 w.		86 w. 1 d.		69 w.		67 w. 2 d.		54 w. 3 d.		173 w. 5 d.[8]		61 w. 3 d.		70 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		1, £10		..		1 £5[6]		..		..		..	

[1] Error in previous year.—[2] Amount belonging to Incidental Fund included in balance at end of 1887 in error.—[3] Fines credited to Sick and Funeral Fund.—[4] Error in 1887 balance-sheet.—[5] Including 10s. error in 1887 balance-sheet.—[6] Husband not entitled to full benefits.—[7] Donation from District, £5 10s., and from Hall Committee, £20.—[8] Sick pay paid at one half the usual rates during the year.—[9] Sick pay refunded by other courts.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	59 Cheltenham. Cheltenham 1865.		60 Alexandra. North Melbourne. 1865.		61 Garibaldi. Derrimut. 1866.		62 Star of Brighton. Brighton. 1866.		63 Walhalla. Walhalla. 1866.		64 Vaughan. Vaughan. 1866.		65 Pride of Northcote. Northcote. 1867.		66 Ballan. Ballan. 1867.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	363 12 0¾	18 10 3¾	350 5 9¼	−2 1 5½	253 8 6½	1 11 6	759 12 9	71 9 2	1,211 4 7½	25 4 1½	267 2 1½	15 11 9½	744 14 2¼	12 18 10¾	152 16 11	4 18 7
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	100 11 4½	117 8 4½	93 14 1¼	115 19 7	21 2 3	23 5 0	158 18 4½	187 13 4½	43 7 3	52 11 9	16 14 0½	18 17 0½	94 13 7½	110 1 7½	11 17 0	14 7 6
Special Levies	..	..	..	26 15 0	..	0 12 0	..	..	..	13 10 0	..	0 11 3	..	3 13 9	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 19 9	6 10 9	0 19 6	7 0 6	..	0 0 9	1 5 0	12 3 6	0 2 6	5 7 6	..	..	1 2 6	10 13 0	0 2 3	0 0 3
Interest	19 6 4	..	9 14 9	..	15 0 0	..	45 6 3	..	112 6 11	..	10 0 0	..	34 8 1	..	7 10 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	6 4 6	..	3 16 0	..	1 0 3	..	5 17 6	..	1 5 6	..	0 9 6	..	7 19 6	..	0 0 3
Total Receipts	120 17 5½	130 3 7½	104 8 4¼	153 11 1	36 2 3	24 18 0	205 9 7½	205 14 4½	155 16 8	72 14 9	26 14 0½	19 17 9½	130 4 2½	132 7 10½	19 9 3	14 8 0
Total	484 9 6¼	148 13 11¼	454 14 1½	151 9 7½	289 10 9½	26 9 6	965 2 4½	277 3 6½	1,367 1 3½	97 18 10½	293 16 2	35 9 7	874 18 4¾	145 6 9¼	172 6 2	19 6 7
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	82 6 8	..	65 16 8	..	6 0 0	..	44 5 0	..	38 11 4	..	1 2 6	..	104 5 0	..	25 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	85 16 10½	..	96 16 0	..	18 1 6	..	159 9 0	..	59 4 2	..	9 7 3	..	80 18 0	..	10 9 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	23 12 6	3 15 9	30 9 0	4 13 6	5 4 3	0 15 9	42 15 9	6 12 9	10 4 6	1 12 9	3 6 6	0 11 0	24 19 3	3 15 6	2 9 0	0 8 0
Management	..	29 11 4	..	34 14 8	..	4 1 9	..	37 18 0	..	20 18 8	..	5 4 0	..	34 2 6	..	3 16 9
Other expenditure	..	12 7 9	..	14 2 1	..	0 15 5½	..	64 7 0	..	7 9 0	..	1 1 10	..	17 10 3	..	0 19 4
Total Expenditure	105 19 2	131 11 8½	96 5 8	150 6 3	11 4 3	23 14 5½	87 0 9	268 6 9	48 15 10	89 4 7	4 9 0	16 4 1	129 4 3	136 6 3	28 2 4	15 13 1
Balance	378 10 4¼	17 2 2¾	358 8 5½	1 3 4½	278 6 6½	2 15 0½	878 1 7½	8 16 9½	1,318 5 5½	8 14 3½	289 7 2	19 5 6	745 14 1¾	9 0 6¼	144 3 10	3 13 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	393 16 4	..	277 19 11	..	250 0 0	..	843 9 11	..	783 0 0	..	289 0 0	1 0 0	745 14 1¾	4 5 10¼	125 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	489 7 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	−15 5 11¾[1]	17 2 2¾	80 8 6½	1 3 4½	28 6 6½	2 15 0½	34 11 8½	8 16 9½	45 18 1½	8 14 3½	0 7 2	18 5 6	..	4 14 8	19 3 10	3 13 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	75	72	84	86	15	15	105	119	37	27	10	10	69	67	8	8
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	3	10	..	..	..	13	15	5	4	1	1	..	5	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	4	4	6	..	..	19	11	2	7	..	..	1	6	..	..
Total	79	79	98	92	15	15	137	145	44	38	11	11	70	78	8	8
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	9		9		..		26		9		..		12		..	
Departures { By death	2, £40		1, £20		..		1, £20		1, £20		..		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	7		14		..		17		14		..		3		..	
Number of members sick	10		12		2		17		8		1		15		4	
Period of sickness	159 w. 2 d.		108 w. 5 d.		6 w.		47 w. 1 d.		69 w 2 d.		4 w. 3 d.		117 w. 3 d.		25 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1, £10		1, £10		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Borrowed from the Incidental Fund.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	67 Broadmeadows. Broadmeadows. 1870.		68 Thorncombe. Burwood. 1870.		69 Forest of Dean, Port Melbourne. 1873.		70 St. Hubert. Sale. 1875.		71 Queenscliff. Queenscliff. 1865.		72 Longford. Longford. 1881.		73 Albert. South Melbourne. 1883.		74 Bairnsdale. Bairnsdale. 1883.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 591 1 10¾	£ s. d. 25 11 4¾	£ s. d. 112 14 9	£ s. d. 1 8 0	£ s. d. 348 5 1½	£ s. d. 24 13 3½	£ s. d. 211 10 9½	£ s. d. 24 17 8	£ s. d. 820 18 8¼	£ s. d. 12 13 0¾	£ s. d. 72 3 5	£ s. d. 9 11 11	£ s. d. 292 13 9	£ s. d. 3 6 1	£ s. d. 137 5 5½	£ s. d. 22 7 0½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	61 5 8½	70 3 8½	41 4 9¾	54 0 9¾	108 7 6	128 1 6	84 11 7½	115 7 1½	121 10 3½	143 15 9½	18 3 9	20 16 9	184 12 10	232 2 7	76 7 9½	92 1 9½
Special Levies	..	2 3 3	..	..	..	..	..	12 4 9	..	23 13 0	..	0 12 0	..	..	..	1 2 9
Initiation fees, &c.	0 5 0	2 5 0	0 5 0	0 17 6	2 5 0	18 3 6	1 7 0	10 2 6	1 5 0	8 10 0	0 7 6	2 10 0	2 9 3	17 5 9	1 0 0	8 0 0
Interest	15 4 0	..	3 12 8	..	13 15 6	..	11 8 6	..	44 15 9	3 18 0	2 2 0	..	..	..	7 5 9	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	6 6 0[1]	91 9 0	..	1 17 0	..	5 3 6	7 19 6[2]	9 1 9	..	6 8 6	..	0 10 6	..	13 5 7	..	2 6 9
Total Receipts	83 0 8½	166 0 11½	45 2 5¾	56 15 3¾	124 8 0	151 8 6	105 6 7½	146 16 1½	167 11 0½	186 5 3½	20 13 3	24 9 3	187 2 1	262 13 11	84 13 6½	103 11 3½
Total	674 2 7¼	191 12 4¼	157 17 2¾	58 3 3¾	472 13 1½	176 1 9½	316 17 5	171 13 9½	988 9 8¾	198 18 4¼	92 16 8	34 1 2	479 15 10	266 0 0	221 19 0	125 18 4
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	6 10 0	..	8 16 8	..	45 13 4	..	35 0 0	..	38 18 4	..	17 3 4	..	51 11 0	..	50 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	135 18 10	..	39 16 4½	..	74 9 3	..	95 17 9	..	124 8 0	..	11 0 0	..	162 11 5	..	50 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	14 3 9	2 5 3	10 11 6	1 13 0	33 13 9	4 11 0	22 3 9	3 6 0	30 5 3	4 15 0	5 0 6	0 15 0	49 15 3	18 14 10½	20 6 3	2 19 6
Management	..	19 4 4	..	10 7 6	..	32 0 0	..	25 0 3	..	42 16 0	..	4 8 0	..	64 4 4	..	37 0 8
Other expenditure	..	3 14 3	..	1 12 3	..	28 3 6	..	10 8 9	..	9 12 3	..	3 8 1	..	12 12 3	1 11 7[3]	17 6 10
Total Expenditure	20 13 9	161 2 8	19 8 2	53 9 1½	79 7 1	139 3 9	57 3 9	134 12 9	69 3 7	181 11 3	22 3 10	19 11 1	101 6 3	258 2 10½	72 7 10	107 7 0
Balance	653 8 10¼	30 9 8¼	138 9 0¾	4 14 2¼	393 6 0½	36 18 0½	259 13 8	37 1 0½	919 6 1¾	17 7 1¼	70 12 10	14 10 1	378 9 7	7 17 1½	149 11 2	18 11 4
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	380 0 0	..	115 3 2	..	393 6 0½	12 16 3½	233 0 6	..	307 13 0	..	67 0 0	..	275 0 0	..	132 15 9	..
Invested in halls	270 12 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	600 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	2 16 6¼	30 9 8¼	23 5 10¾	4 14 2¼	..	24 1 9	26 13 2	37 1 0½	11 13 1¾	17 7 1¼	3 12 10	14 10 1	103 9 7	7 17 1½	16 15 5	18 11 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	42	45	34	29	74	75	53	64	89	91	16	13	126	118	47	41
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	1	6	2	13	5	1	3	3	4	2	..	23	25	19
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	3	1	2	6	13	2	2	5	9	..	3	15	8	4	5
Total	45	48	36	37	82	101	60	67	97	103	20	18	141	149	76	65
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	3		3		27		12		13		4		31		11	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		2, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	..		2		8		5		7		6		23		20	
Number of members sick	3		3		13		9		11		2		14		9	
Period of sickness	6 w. 3 d		8 w. 5 d.		45 w. 4 d.		35 w.		47 w. 1 d.		17 w. 1 d.		51 w. 3 d.		50 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		1, £10		1, £10	

[1] Donation.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[3] Sick pay advanced for other courts.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	75 Fern Tree Gully. Fern Tree Gully. 1885.		76 Le Plastrier. South Melbourne. 1887.		77 Star of the East. Mulgrave. 1887.		78 Essendon. Moonee Ponds. 1887.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Melbourne District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 18 15 9	£ s. d. 1 9 5	£ s. d. 10 12 1½	£ s. d. 10 7 4½	£ s. d. 8 17 3¾	£ s. d. 1 12 11¾	£ s. d. 0 13 10½	£ s. d. 5 1 1½	£ s. d. 75,281 12 0	£ s. d. 3,140 3 4¼	£ s. d. 1,088 9 0	£ s. d. 228 11 5½	£ s. d. 76,370 1 0	£ s. d. 3,368 14 9¾
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	43 8 2½	37 15 2½	55 18 9	64 6 9	22 13 10½	26 16 10½	38 6 5½	45 9 9½	12,100 14 9½	14,068 13 2¾	..	..	12,100 14 9½	14,068 13 2¾
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45 18 0	382 14 0	..	..	45 18 0	382 14 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	2 4 9	23 8 6	0 2 6	3 4 6	1 10 0	24 0 0	118 5 6	765 1 0	..	..	118 5 6	765 1 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,963 13 11	44 10 9	..	..	3,963 13 11	44 10 9
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,001 2 9	538 15 2½	3,001 2 9	538 15 2½
Other receipts	..	0 15 0	10 3 0[1]	3 3 6	..	0 13 6	7 0 2[3]	4 10 0	750 11 8	876 19 6	50 0 0[4]	218 19 10	800 11 8	1,095 19 4
Total Receipts	43 8 2½	38 10 2½	68 6 6	90 18 9	22 16 4½	30 14 10½	46 16 7½	73 19 9½	16,979 3 10½	16,137 18 5¾	3,051 2 9	757 15 0½	20,030 6 7½	16,895 13 6¼
Total	62 3 11½	39 19 7½	78 18 7½	101 6 1½	31 13 8¼	32 7 10¼	47 10 6	79 0 11	92,260 15 10½	19,278 1 10	4,139 11 9	986 6 6	96,400 7 7½	20,264 8 4
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	10 15 10	..	9 0 0	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	9,300 19 1	203 15 6	..	..	9,300 19 1	203 15 6
Medical attendance	..	24 11 3	..	46 6 6	..	19 4 0	..	36 13 0	..	10,132 11 5	..	..	..	10,132 11 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,310 0 0	..	3,310 0 0	..
District dues	6 4 3	2 0 0	17 9 3	2 4 6	5 14 0	0 17 6	13 10 0	1 13 3	3,001 2 9	538 15 2½	..	..	3,001 2 9	538 15 2½
Management	..	10 12 0	..	33 10 1	..	9 0 9	..	17 13 0	..	3,717 13 2	..	517 5 1	..	4,234 18 3
Other expenditure	..	2 15 0	..	10 14 0	..	2 3 0	..	22 17 9	3,894 9 4½	1,358 10 10	26 15 9	398 19 3	3,921 5 1½	1,757 10 1
Total Expenditure	17 0 1	39 18 3	26 9 3	92 15 1	7 14 0	31 5 3	13 10 0	78 17 0	16,196 11 2½	15,951 6 1½	3,336 15 9	916 4 4	19,533 6 11½	16,867 10 5½
Balance	45 3 10½	0 1 4½	52 9 4½	8 11 0½	23 19 8¼	1 2 7¼	34 0 6	0 3 11	76,064 4 8	3,326 15 8½	802 16 0	70 2 2	76,867 0 8	3,396 17 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	15 0 0	..	..	..	33 0 0	..	62,500 12 7	1,620 0 2	..	..	62,500 12 7	1,620 0 2
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,563 16 1	100 0 0	..	..	7,563 16 1	100 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	666 13 4	..	..	..	666 13 4	..
Cash not bearing interest	45 3 10½	0 1 4½	37 9 4½	8 11 0½	23 19 8¼	1 2 7¼	1 0 6	0 3 11	5,333 2 8	1,606 15 6½	802 16 0	70 2 2	6,135 18 8	1,676 17 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	−3,482 16 2[5]	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	21	15	22	32	18	15	..	32	..	..	..	..	8,385	8,706
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	5	..	5	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	452	437
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	..	11	16	3	3	12	14	..	..	..	..	456	575
Total	23	20	33	53	21	19	12	49	..	..	..	..	9,293	9,718
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	..		30		4		37		..		..		1,207[6]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		135, £2,690	
Departures { Otherwise	3		10		6		..		..		..		647[7]	
Number of members sick	4		1		1		..		..		..		1,543	
Period of sickness	10 w. 5 d.		9 w.		2 w.		..		..		..		13,045 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1, £5[2]		..		..		..		..		66, £620	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other courts.—[2] Husband not entitled to full benefits.—[3] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.—[4] Difference between statements of courts and district as to funeral claims paid —[5] The debit balance in the U. M. D. Hall Building Fund.—[6] One hundred and thirty-nine of these were admitted by clearance.—[7] Seventy-seven of these left by clearance.

OVENS AND MURRAY DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Robin Hood. Beechworth. 1864.		2 Stanley. Stanley. 1865.		3 Little John. Bright. 1865.		4 Greenwood. Yackandandah. 1865.		5 Victor. Yarrawonga. 1881.		6 District Members. Beechworth.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Ovens and Murray District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,001 2 7¼	34 15 4¾	320 14 5	3 11 8	611 14 7½	47 8 10½	228 5 1	27 2 2	86 2 2½	−35 6 3	180 4 2	38 9 3	2,528 3 1¼	116 1 1¼	1,677 6 1	−21 14 9	4,205 9 2¼	94 6 4½
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	172 0 2	171 10 8	17 12 4	28 11 2	70 9 10	102 6 2	14 2 6	26 13 6	16 5 9½	25 3 8	6 3 2	3 7 4	296 13 9½	357 12 6	..	..	296 13 9½	357 12 6
Special levies	..	66 17 6	..	2 15 0	..	..	..	2 18 0	..	3 5 0	..	0 16 0	..	76 11 6	..	..	..	76 11 6
Initiation fees, &c.	5 10 0	5 10 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	7 15 0	7 15 0	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 3 9	0 3 9	..	..	14 6 3	14 6 3	..	..	14 6 3	14 6 3
Interest	50 7 5	..	12 18 3	..	32 5 6	2 10 0	10 18 0	..	..	..	6 1 0	..	112 10 2	2 10 0	67 6 5	..	179 16 7	2 10 0
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	73 10 0	48 0 0	73 10 0	48 0 0
Other receipts	..	5 12 0	..	..	..	10 16 9	..	1 2 10	..	..	..	..	..	17 11 7	48 3 0[1]	67 10 9[3]	48 3 0	85 2 4
Total Receipts	227 17 7	249 10 2	31 5 7	32 1 2	110 10 4	123 7 11	25 3 0	30 16 10	16 9 6½	28 12 5	12 4 2	4 3 4	423 10 2½	468 11 10	188 19 5	115 10 9	612 9 7½	584 2 7
Total	1,329 0 2¼	284 5 6¾	352 0 0	35 12 10	722 4 11½	170 16 9½	253 8 1	57 19 0	102 11 9	−6 13 10	192 8 4	42 12 7	2,951 13 3¾	584 12 11¼	1,866 5 6	93 16 0	4,817 18 9¾	678 8 11¼
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	67 15 0	..	..	..	37 0 0	..	1 10 0	..	1 3 4	..	..	..	107 8 4	..	..	..	107 8 4	..
Medical attendance	..	162 4 5	..	20 10 0	..	79 2 3	..	20 4 6	..	21 16 3	..	2 12 6	..	306 9 11	..	..	..	306 9 11
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	39 19 6	26 1 0	4 5 6	2 16 0	16 13 0	10 15 0	4 8 6	2 19 0	6 19 6	4 13 0	1 4 0	0 16 0	73 10 0	48 0 0	..	..	73 10 0	48 0 0
Management	..	44 4 9	..	9 18 7	..	24 5 7	..	14 2 7	..	4 1 0	..	0 15 10	..	97 8 4	..	94 15 3	..	192 3 7
Other expenditure	..	4 4 5	..	..	..	3 0 0	..	2 6 5	..	..	..	..	..	9 10 10	40 0 0[2]	14 12 2	40 0 0	24 3 0
Total Expenditure	107 14 6	236 14 7	4 5 6	33 4 7	53 13 0	117 2 10	5 18 6	39 12 6	8 2 10	30 10 3	1 4 0	4 4 4	180 18 4	461 9 1	40 0 0	109 7 5	220 18 4	570 16 6
Balance	1,221 5 8¼	47 10 11¾	347 14 6	2 8 3	668 11 11½	53 13 11½	247 9 7	18 6 6	94 8 11	−37 4 1	191 4 4	38 8 3	2,770 14 11¾	123 3 10¼	1,826 5 6	−15 11 5	4,597 0 5¾	107 12 5¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	1,221 5 8¼	3 6 6¾	290 4 2	..	640 0 0	45 0 0	236 2 4	..	..	..	158 0 0	..	2,545 12 2¼	48 6 6¾	1,683 12 8	..	4,229 4 10¼	48 6 6¾
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	44 4 5	57 10 4	2 8 3	28 11 11½	8 13 11½	11 7 3	18 6 6	57 4 10	−37 4 1	33 4 4	38 8 3	187 18 8½	74 17 3½	127 1 5	−15 11 5	315 0 1½	59 5 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37 4 1	..	..	..	37 4 1	..	15 11 5	..	52 15 6	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	126	123	13	14	48	47	15	14	21	17	4	4	..	..	..	..	227	219
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	11	5	..	..	3	1	1	1	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	12
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	12	..	..	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	20
Total	140	140	13	14	53	56	16	15	24	22	4	4	..	..	..	..	250	251
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	12		1		8		..		1		..		..		..		22[4]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	12		..		5		1		3		..		..		..		21[5]	
Number of members sick	24		..		7		1		1		..		..		..		33	
Period of sickness	73 w. 3 d.		..		37 w.		1 w. 3 d.		1 w. 1 d.		..		..		..		113 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] District dues from courts in N. S. Wales.—[2] Funeral donations paid on account of members in N. S. Wales courts.—[3] Including £31 8s. district dues from courts in N. S. Wales.—[4] One of these was admitted by clearance.—[5] Two of these left by clearance.

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 The Hope. Portland. 1858.		2 Prosperity. Portland. 1859.		3 Brotherhood. Hamilton. 1860.		4 Perseverance. Digby. 1861.		5 Caledonia. Sandford. 1863.		6 Prince Alfred. Port Fairy. 1868.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Portland District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funrl. Fd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,909 19 8½	£ s. d. 8 9 1½	£ s. d. 1,162 12 1	£ s. d. 10 13 2	£ s. d. 2,064 16 0	£ s. d. 80 9 9	£ s. d. 973 8 7	£ s. d. 19 6 9	£ s. d. 1,805 6 11½	£ s. d. 1 19 8½	£ s. d. 354 16 7	£ s. d. 51 10 2	£ s. d. 8,270 19 11	£ s. d. 172 8 8	£ s. d. 346 3 8	£ s. d. 133 4 1	£ s. d. 8,617 3 7	£ s. d. 305 12 9
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	174 18 2½	201 17 5½	61 5 7	58 11 5	96 15 5	91 17 10	71 15 6	99 14 4	131 2 7½	140 5 10½	45 12 8	48 14 3	581 10 0	641 1 2	..	..	581 10 0	641 1 2
Special Levies	..	11 15 6	..	..	..	29 5 8	..	..	..	72 8 6	..	..	..	113 9 8	..	..	..	113 9 8
Initiation fees, &c.	4 19 0	..	..	..	0 17 6	..	0 18 6	..	1 5 6	0 2 6	3 18 6	..	11 19 0	0 2 6	..	..	11 19 0	0 2 6
Interest	83 13 11	..	54 14 0	..	107 17 3	..	30 11 9	..	61 14 0	..	18 0 0	..	356 10 11	..	18 16 5	..	375 7 4	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	103 19 0	49 0 6	103 19 0	49 0 6
Other receipts	..	8 8 6	..	3 7 6	..	6 18 6	..	5 9 0	..	3 15 0	..	1 7 6	..	29 6 0	10 0 0[1]	72 7 0	10 0 0	101 13 0
Total Receipts	263 11 1½	222 1 5½	115 19 7	61 18 11	205 10 2	128 2 0	103 5 9	105 3 4	194 2 1½	216 11 10½	67 11 2	50 1 9	949 19 11	783 19 4	132 15 5	121 7 6	1,082 15 4	905 6 10
Total	2,173 10 10	230 10 7	1,278 11 8	72 12 1	2,270 6 2	208 11 9	1,076 14 4	124 10 1	1,999 9 1	218 11 7	422 7 9	101 11 11	9,220 19 10	956 8 0	478 19 1	254 11 7	9,699 18 11	1,210 19 7
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	249 0 0	..	70 11 8	..	64 13 4	..	26 6 8	..	128 16 8	..	34 13 4	..	574 1 8	..	..	..	574 1 8	..
Medical attendance	..	143 2 8	..	38 0 0	..	69 8 0	..	83 8 0	..	163 15 1	..	32 0 0	..	529 13 9	..	..	..	529 13 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	200 0 0	..	200 0 0	..
District dues	35 1 0	16 3 6	8 18 0	4 7 11	15 3 6	7 3 0	12 10 0	7 6 7	24 17 6	10 12 6	7 9 0	3 7 0	103 19 0	49 0 6	..	..	103 19 0	49 0 6
Management	..	60 15 7	..	17 8 4	..	34 18 8	..	14 14 5	..	38 13 2	..	9 2 1	..	175 12 3	..	40 14 8	..	216 6 11
Other expenditure	..	3 0 0	..	0 3 0	..	52 17 6	..	10 0 0	..	11 8 6	..	2 4 6	..	79 13 6	0 11 0[2]	19 14 8	0 11 0	99 8 2
Total Expenditure	284 1 0	223 1 9	79 9 8	59 19 3	79 16 10	164 7 2	38 16 8	113 9 0	153 14 2	224 9 3	42 2 4	46 13 7	678 0 8	834 0 0	200 11 0	60 9 4	878 11 8	894 9 4
Balance	1,889 9 10	7 8 10	1,199 2 0	12 12 10	2,190 9 4	44 4 7	1,037 17 8	9 1 1	1,845 14 11	−5 17 8	380 5 5	54[illegible]18 4	8,542 19 2	122 8 0	278 8 1	194 2 3	8,821 7 3	316 10 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	1,371 3 6	7 8 10	978 7 10	..	1,616 13 5	..	797 6 0	..	1,467 3 0	..	380 5 5	23 9 5	6,610 19 2	30 18 3	238 8 1	194 2 3	6,849 7 3	225 0 6
Invested in halls	485 0 0	..	208 1 1	..	390 6 4	..	219 0 0	..	318 6 6	..	..	..	1,620 13 11	..	..	..	1,620 13 11	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	33 6 4	..	12 13 1	12 12 10	183 9 7	44 4 7	21 11 8	9 1 1	54 7 9	−5 17 8	..	31 8 11	305 8 5	91 9 9	40 0 0	..	345 8 5	91 9 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 17 8	..	..	..	5 17 8	..	..	..	5 17 8	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	Beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	142	156	40	39	63	68	56	52	106	104	32	33	..	..	..	..	439	452
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	5	..	..	..	4	2	..	2	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	8
Not entitled to benefits { New	14	4	..	..	7	..	1	..	3	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	25	8
Total	161	160	40	39	74	70	57	54	110	108	32	37	..	..	..	..	474	468
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	8		..		..		1		1		5		..		..		14[3]	
Departures { By death	4, £80		1, £20		1, £20		1, £20		1, £20		..		..		..		8, £160	
Departures { Otherwise	5		..		3		3		1		..		..		..		12[4]	
Number of members sick	31		12		12		8		20		7		..		..		90	
Period of sickness	422 w. 3 d.		128 w. 5d.		95 w. 4 d.		26 w. 2 d.		169 w. 5 d.		34 w. 4 d.		..		..		877 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		1, £10		..		..		2, £20		..		..		..		4, £40	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance

[1] Difference being statements of the courts and the district as to funeral donations paid.—[2] Difference being statements of the courts and the district as to district funeral dues.—[3] Two of these were admitted by clearance.—[4] One of these left by clearance.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

WARRNAMBOOL DISTRICT.

	1 Warrnambool. Warrnambool. 1865.		2 Tower Hill. Koroit. 1869.		Total of Court Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Warrnambool District.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,733 5 4	37 19 5	276 2 7	..	2,009 7 11	37 19 5	177 1 1	6 2 3½	2,186 9 0	44 1 8½
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	138 3 3	133 18 0	0 8 0	0 4 0	138 11 3	134 2 0	..	..	138 11 3	134 2 0
Special levies	..	20 4 0	..	..	..	20 4 0	..	..	..	20 4 0
Initiation fees, &c.	2 19 0	2 14 0	..	..	2 19 0	2 14 0	..	..	2 19 0	2 14 0
Interest	122 3 10	..	..	..	122 3 10	..	6 17 8	..	129 1 6	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	21 14 6	10 13 0	21 14 6	10 13 0
Other receipts	..	5 16 0	31 13 2[1]	..	31 13 2	5 16 0	0 1 6	2 15 0	31 14 8	8 11 0
Total Receipts	263 6 1	162 12 0	32 1 2	0 4 0	295 7 3	162 16 0	28 13 8	13 8 0	324 0 11	176 4 0
Total	1,996 11 5	200 11 5	308 3 9	0 4 0	2,304 15 2	200 15 5	205 14 9	19 10 3½	2,510 9 11	220 5 8½
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	109 19 2	..	0 10 0	..	110 9 2	..	..	..	110 9 2	..
Medical attendance	..	106 5 0	..	..	..	106 5 0	..	..	..	106 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	21 6 6	10 10 6	0 8 0	0 4 0	21 14 6	10 14 6	..	..	21 14 6	10 14 6
Management	..	35 10 6	..	..	..	35 10 6	..	12 13 0	..	48 3 6
Other expenditure	0 3 0	7 9 0	..	..	0 3 0	7 9 0	..	0 12 6	0 3 0	8 1 6
Total Expenditure	131 8 8	159 15 0	0 18 0	0 4 0	132 6 8	159 19 0	..	13 5 6	132 6 8	173 4 6
Balance	1,865 2 9	40 16 5	307 5 9	..	2,172 8 6	40 16 5	205 14 9	6 4 9½	2,378 3 3	47 1 2½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	1,865 2 9	..	307 5 9	..	2,172 8 6	..	205 14 9	0 15 3	2,378 3 3	0 15 3
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	40 16 5	..	..	..	40 16 5	..	5 9 6½	..	46 5 11½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	99	101	3	2	..	..	..	..	102	103
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4
Total	102	105	3	2	..	..	..	..	105	107
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	7		..		..		..		7[2]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	4		1		..		..		5	
Number of members sick	14		1		..		..		15	
Period of sickness	144 w. 2 d.		3 d.		..		..		114 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..	

INDEPENDENT COURTS.

	Unity. Ballarat. 1860.		Freedom. Clunes. 1861.		Ararat. Ararat. 1862.		Amherst. Amherst. 1864.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	5,381 8 9	0 13 5	1,291 14 9	2 14 3½	1,027 8 5	14 8 8	488 19 8	8 8 7
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	350 13 2	285 17 4	214 1 11½	122 2 0	74 1 1	81 8 1	38 5 7	59 1 7
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 2 6	..	0 7 6	0 1 0	0 1 6	..	..
Interest	373 15 9	..	103 7 0	..	63 1 5	..	8 14 8	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	53 5 2	..	9 1 0	0 12 0[6]	1 0 0	..	0 4 0
Total Receipts	724 8 11	341 5 0	317 8 11½	131 10 6	137 15 6	82 9 7	47 0 3	59 5 7
Total	6,105 17 8	341 18 5	1,609 3 8½	134 4 9½	1,165 3 11	96 18 3	535 19 11	67 14 2
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	494 9 9	..	271 6 8	..	43 6 8	..	13 13 8	..
Medical attendance	..	217 5 1	..	87 11 5	..	70 5 11	..	37 8 8
Funeral donations	170 0 0	..	80 0 0	..	20 0 0	..	20 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Management	..	85 3 3	..	39 16 6	..	21 18 4	..	22 3 10
Other expenditure	..	16 14 3	..	5 2 6	0 15 0[7]	..	..	1 7 0
Total Expenditure	664 9 9	319 2 7	351 6 8	132 10 5	64 1 8	92 4 3	33 13 8	60 19 6
Balance	5,441 7 11	22 15 10	1,257 17 0½	1 14 4½	1,101 2 3	4 14 0	502 6 3	6 14 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	5,343 10 9	..	1,195 0 0	..	1,046 8 5	..	150 7 2	3 14 5
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	351 19 1	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	97 17 2	22 15 10	62 17 0½	1 14 4½	54 13 10	4 14 0	..	3 0 3
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	179	178	81	76	49	41	29	25
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	13	5	1	..	4	8	2	1
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..
Total	192	187	82	77	53	49	31	26
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	7[3]		1		1[8]		..	
Departures { By death	7, £120[4]		4, £80		1, £20		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	5		2[5]		4[5]		4[5]	
Number of members sick	54		31		10		4	
Period of sickness	941 w. 5 d.		390 w.		54 w. 5 d.		13 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	5, £50		..		..		..	

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Two of these were admitted by clearance.—[3] Three of these were admitted by clearance.—[4] Funeral donation for one member not paid until 1889.—[5] One of these left by clearance.—[6] Proportion of fines.—[7] Fire insurance premium.—[8] Admitted by clearance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Duke of York. Melbourne. 1846.		2 Fitzroy. Melbourne. 1848.		3 Prince Albert. Prahran. 1856.		4 St. Kilda. St. Kilda. 1858.		5 Pioneer. Ballarat. 1860.		6 Hotham Union. North Melbourne. 1861.		7 Winchelsea. Winchelsea. 1862.		8 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1862.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,422 4 3	£ s. d. 99 1 6	£ s. d. 1,118 12 7	£ s. d. 7 10 5	£ s. d. 1,243 5 2	£ s. d. 2,244 7 6	£ s. d. 576 9 8½	£ s. d. 15 18 0½	£ s. d. 1,482 1 1	£ s. d. 322 19 4	£ s. d. 1,201 5 11	£ s. d. 168 9 0½	£ s. d. 911 0 11	£ s. d. 28 16 5	£ s. d. 662 10 7	£ s. d. 94 7 8
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	216 2 4	214 18 10	276 10 2	279 18 9	108 6 11	107 17 1	205 4 10½	207 6 10½	448 13 0	446 9 0	282 7 8	281 11 11	90 19 2½	91 9 2½	347 8 0	360 19 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 5 0	8 9 0	3 12 0	13 13 6	0 5 0	1 5 0	3 3 0	13 1 0	3 16 6	19 19 0	1 7 6	10 0 0	0 1 6	..	0 5 6	4 17 6
Interest	86 17 10	6 6 3	58 14 7	..	73 6 6	29 19 6	33 16 7	..	62 6 9	..	84 8 6	9 10 6	44 0 1	..	24 17 7	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 11 6	..	14 19 9	..	1 17 0	..	3 0 3	100 0 0[7]	31 7 3	..	37 8 9	..	21 5 0	42 10 0[12]	9 6 0
Total Receipts	304 5 2	230 5 7	338 16 9	308 12 0	181 18 5	140 18 7	242 4 5½	223 8 1½	614 16 3	497 15 3	368 3 8	338 11 2	135 0 9½	112 14 2½	415 1 1	375 3 0
Total	1,726 9 5	329 7 1	1,457 9 4	316 2 5	1,425 3 7	2,385 6 1	818 14 2	239 6 2	2,096 17 4	820 14 7	1,569 9 7	507 0 2½	1,046 1 8½	141 10 7½	1,077 11 8	469 10 8
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	117 0 0	..	125 18 4	..	210 11 10	..	127 10 10	..	246 8 8	..	77 14 11	..	74 17 8	..	289 11 9	..
Medical attendance	..	145 8 2	..	177 9 9	..	75 14 6	..	136 18 6	..	308 17 6	..	233 12 1½	..	90 19 1	..	223 2 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	57 5 6	18 8 4	71 5 6	24 3 10	31 14 6	10 8 5	52 5 6	15 18 9	118 7 0	39 6 3	77 1 6	24 18 11	23 11 6	7 12 1	91 2 9	30 1 9
Management	..	72 6 10	..	74 15 6	..	46 4 0	..	49 12 6	..	94 9 10	..	64 12 5	..	25 1 8	..	76 0 3
Other expenditure	..	28 16 3	10 0 0[1]	7 15 6	..	1,905 11 9[2]	..	14 11 6[5]	..	217 16 9[9]	[10]0 4 6	41 0 6[11]	..	17 12 9	..	73 14 4[13]
Total Expenditure	174 5 6	264 19 7	207 3 10	284 4 7	242 6 4	2,037 18 8	179 16 4	217 1 3	364 15 8	660 10 4	155 0 11	364 3 11½	98 9 2	141 5 7	380 14 6	402 18 10
Balance	1,552 3 11	64 7 6	1,250 5 6	31 17 10	1,182 17 3	347 7 5	638 17 10	22 4 11	1,732 1 8	160 4 3	1,414 8 8	142 16 3	947 12 6½	0 5 0½	696 17 2	66 11 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,520 0 0	50 0 0	1,212 15 7	..	1,177 13 10	340 0 0	575 0 0	..	1,246 1 8	160 4 3	1,414 2 7	136 0 0	939 0 1	..	272 14 7	50 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	486 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	417 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	32 3 11	14 7 6	37 9 11	31 17 10	5 3 5	7 7 5	63 17 10	22 4 11	..	..	0 6 1	6 16 3	8 12 5½	0 5 0½	7 2 7	16 11 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	1,933 3 5[3]	..	5 2 11[6]	12 16 10[8]	79 6 7[6]	..	31 15 2[6]	5 5 0[8]	0 2 3[6]	23 6 2[8]	37 10 8[6]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	129	122	144	150	71	64	96	113	273	293	167	164	53	49	219	217
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	11	21	19	34	9	9	9	17	..	..	31	23	..	5	5	12
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	12	18	13	2	2	24	14	13	26	12	18	6	..	12	7
Total	142	155	181	197	82	75	129	144	286	319	210	205	59	54	236	236
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	27		40		4		33		51		34		..		16	
Departures { By death	1, £20		2, £40		3, £60		3, £60		5, £100		2, £40		1, £20		4, £80	
Departures { Otherwise	13		22		8		15		13		37		4		12	
Number of members sick	15		17		18		23		42		21		15		43	
Period of sickness	117 w.		166 w. 4 d.		289 w. 4 d.		138 w.		329 w. 5 d.		85 w. 3 d.		132 w.		389 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		3, £20[1]		1, £10[4]		..		..		..		1, £10		5, £50.	

[1] Funeral donation, £10, not received from Grand Lodge.——[2] Including £1,865 7s. 2d. belonging to another fund.——[3] To the credit of the "Indigent Endowment" Fund.——[4] Widow.——[5] Including £6 10s. 6d. belonging to another fund.——[6] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.——[7] Voted from the Incidental Fund.——[8] To the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund.——[9] Including £74 15s. 9d. belonging to another fund.——[10] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.——[11] Including £33 19s. belonging to another fund.——[12] Transferred from the Incidental and Contingent Funds.——[13] Including £51 15s. 2d. belonging to another fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

	9 Colac. Colac. 1863.		10 Camperdown. Camperdown. 1864.		11 Birregurra. Birregurra. 1864.		12 Gippsland. Walhalla. 1866.		13 Ondit. Ondit. 1866.		14 Duke of Edinburgh. South Melbourne. 1869.		15 Phœnix. Geelong. 1870.		16 Standard. Prahran. 1870.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	2,003 2 6½	160 9 9½	693 10 11	19 6 4	539 7 2	6 0 6	762 11 11	64 9 10	384 6 4	6 13 0	460 5 0	37 2 9	560 7 11	22 18 10	559 0 9	9 8 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	392 1 5½	397 19 3½	79 13 0	80 3 3	57 2 4½	58 10 1½	152 0 9	155 8 3	55 8 10	55 8 10	346 0 8	358 14 7	87 7 6½	86 19 6½	198 7 3	198 7 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	74 14 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 10 6	4 12 0	0 11 0	7 18 0	0 14 6	2 19 6	2 14 0	16 17 6	8 14 5	1 0 0	6 19 0	25 14 6	0 8 6	2 1 6	1 15 6	16 1 0
Interest	121 18 5	..	23 11 6	0 15 0	23 5 7	..	144 5 0	2 2 0	..	..	47 14 10	..	26 5 0	..	29 9 3	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	84 8 1	..	43 2 6	..	6 6 2	..	19 19 3	..	9 12 6	..	14 6 0	..	10 15 6	20 0 0[6]	5 12 1
Total Receipts	516 10 4½	486 19 4½	103 15 6	131 18 9	81 2 5½	67 15 9½	298 19 9	269 1 0	64 3 3	66 1 4	400 14 6	398 15 1	114 1 0½	99 16 6½	249 12 0	220 0 5
Total	2,519 12 11	647 9 2	797 6 5	151 5 1	620 9 7½	73 16 3½	1,061 11 8	333 10 10	448 9 7	72 14 4	860 19 6	435 17 10	674 8 11½	122 15 4½	808 12 9	229 8 5
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	190 19 7	..	18 0 0	..	53 8 4	..	89 5 10	..	10 0 0	..	281 12 6	..	7 13 4	..	74 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	398 2 11	..	55 16 0	..	64 12 0	..	168 17 0	..	48 9 6	..	248 5 0	..	62 3 0	..	152 10 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	124 1 6	31 4 10	19 8 0	6 7 2	14 16 0	5 6 11	42 12 6	17 3 8	13 14 0	4 19 0	92 8 6	30 3 10	22 1 0	6 17 2	50 18 0	16 9 4
Management	..	40 2 2	..	33 7 4	..	11 6 10	..	40 8 6	..	8 12 8	..	87 8 8	..	32 0 4	..	35 10 6
Other expenditure	..	161 7 9½[1]	..	10 11 4	..	5 3 10[3]	..	17 6 3	..	0 16 0	..	21 17 1	..	19 9 6[5]	..	9 16 6
Total Expenditure	315 1 1	630 17 8½	37 8 0	106 1 10	68 4 4	86 9 7	131 18 4	243 15 5	23 14 0	62 17 2	374 1 0	387 14 7	29 14 4	120 10 0	124 18 0	214 6 10
Balance	2,204 11 10	16 11 5½	759 18 5	45 3 3	552 5 3½	−12 13 3½	929 13 4	89 15 5	424 15 7	9 17 2	486 18 6	48 3 3	644 14 7½	2 5 4½	683 14 9	15 1 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,825 19 2	..	370 0 0	..	508 3 1	..	475 13 0	30 0 0	351 17 9	..	450 0 0	..	625 0 0	..	683 14 9	15 1 7
Invested in halls	355 12 6	..	350 0 0	..	..	..	420 0 0	7 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	23 0 2	16 11 5½	39 18 5	45 3 3	31 8 11	−12 13 3½	34 0 4	52 15 5	72 17 10	9 17 2	36 18 6	48 3 3	19 14 7½	2 5 4½	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	12 13 3½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	196 2 6½[2]	..	..	..	1 12 4[2]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12 15 0[2]	..	1 13 0[2]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	216	222	46	49	20	27	72	89	32	34	173	216	55	44	108	116
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	25	27	5	..	1	7	13	21	2	2	13	16	3	13	19	14
Not entitled to benefits { New	15	6	..	13	15	4	17	14	3	4	25	25	1	..	8	16
Total	256	255	51	62	36	38	102	124	37	40	211	257	59	57	135	146
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	18		15		9		40		4		69		6		34	
Departures { By death	3, £60		..		2, £40		1, £11 4s.		..		6, £128[4]		..		£20[6]	
Departures { Otherwise	16		4		5		17		1		17		8		23	
Number of members sick	39		8		9		19		4		43		4		15	
Period of sickness	196 w. 2 d.		18 w.		55 w. 1 d.		99 w.		10 w.		285 w.		7 w. 4 d.		74 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		1, £10		..		1, £10		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including £159 19s. 9½d belonging to another fund.—[2] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[3] Including £3 14s. 10d. belonging to another fund.—[4] Including £8 for 1887.—[5] Including £18 10s. belonging to another fund.—[6] Funeral donation received for 1887.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

	17 Columbia. Melbourne. 1871.		18 Sandhurst. Sandhurst. 1871.		19 Devonshire. Castlemaine. 1871.		20 Philanthropic. Williamstown. 1872.		21 Yarraville. Yarraville. 1873.		22 Carlton. Carlton. 1873.		23 Buckingham. Footscray. 1873.		24 Excelsior. Smythesdale. 1873.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,422 16 8	131 4 9	357 5 7	257 14 10	101 8 10	−9 12 4	467 19 6½	29 1 11	349 19 8	−10 1 0	658 15 6	3 16 3	195 15 0	103 10 1	272 7 1	0 16 10
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	619 7 6	617 7 5	348 8 9	360 14 8	76 6 10	76 10 4	406 15 2½	424 1 3	212 3 10½	212 1 10	230 18 0	230 19 4	233 10 0	234 0 6	39 13 6	46 10 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	7 5 0
Initiation fees, &c.	8 6 6	39 16 0	0 11 0	3 15 0	2 9 0	9 12 6	5 11 6	27 11 0	0 6 0	6 16 0	3 12 0	9 13 6	1 17 6	9 10 0	0 17 6	2 8 6
Interest	98 14 0	7 0 0	28 5 8	..	2 10 0	..	30 12 0	..	24 10 9	..	38 7 4	..	11 0 0	..	15 15 0	..
Grand Lodge Dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	13 0 0	30 0 0[1]	1 11 0	..	4 3 10	..	28 10 0	..	16 6 7	..	5 4 3	..	20 0 7	..	14 19 0
Total Receipts	726 8 0	677 3 5	407 5 5	366 0 8	81 5 10	90 6 8	442 18 8½	480 2 3	237 0 7½	241 14 5	272 17 4	245 17 1	246 7 6	263 11 1	56 6 0	71 3 0
Total	2,149 4 8	808 8 2	764 11 0	623 15 6	182 14 8	80 14 4	910 18 3	509 4 2	587 0 3½	231 13 5	931 12 10	249 13 4	442 2 6	367 1 2	328 13 1	71 19 10
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	291 1 8	..	367 6 7	..	38 4 4	..	171 5 4	..	92 13 9	..	150 7 6	..	92 3 4	..	24 6 8	..
Medical attendance	..	410 0 0	..	227 4 9	..	46 14 3	..	351 12 5	..	152 13 8½	..	148 2 8	..	170 7 2	..	35 2 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	162 2 0	55 14 3	92 1 0	29 18 3	21 2 6	7 15 7	106 13 9	37 12 5½	53 11 0	19 8 4	58 17 9	19 10 9	60 6 0	20 12 1½	10 8 6	3 15 0
Management	..	124 1 2	..	77 6 1	..	20 1 6	..	79 17 10	..	56 15 3	..	72 17 5	..	53 2 0	..	26 15 9
Other expenditure	..	56 14 6	..	48 14 0	1 15 4[3]	6 3 0	..	13 5 5	..	7 19 11½	..	6 10 0	..	14 15 6	..	6 2 0
Total Expenditure	453 3 8	646 9 11	459 7 7	383 3 1	61 2 2	80 14 4	277 19 1	482 8 1½	146 4 9	236 17 3	209 5 3	247 0 10	152 9 4	258 16 9½	34 15 2	71 14 9
Balance	1,696 1 0	161 18 3	305 3 5	240 12 5	121 12 6	..	632 19 2	26 16 0½	440 15 6½	−5 3 10	722 7 7	2 12 6	289 13 2	108 4 4½	293 17 11	0 5 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,690 0 0	150 0 0	305 3 5	155 13 10	50 0 0	..	495 0 0	..	300 0 0	..	620 12 9	..	289 13 2	10 6 10	291 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested. other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	6 1 0	11 18 3	..	84 18 7	71 12 6	..	137 19 2	26 16 0½	135 11 8½	−5 3 10	101 14 10	2 12 6	..	97 17 6½	2 17 11	0 5 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 3 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	5 0 6[2]	..	..	..	7 9 0[2]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 1 6[2]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	316	367	211	211	39	46	208	213	115	121	132	135	125	143	22	22
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	36	48	5	9	2	9	18	42	17	11	14	15	24	13	1	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	49	46	11	8	2	12	48	27	5	14	11	8	19	12	1	3
Total	401	461	227	228	43	67	274	282	137	146	157	158	168	168	24	25
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	114		18		30		45		24		22		35		5	
Departures — By death	2, £40		3, £60		1[4]		4, £80		3, £60		£20[6]		2, £40		2, £20[7]	
Departures — Otherwise	52		14		5		33		12		21		33		2	
Number of members sick	45		54		10		43		27		21		26		4	
Period of sickness	372 w. 3 d.		460 w.		38 w. 3 d.		202 w.		94 w. 3 d.		154 w.		92 w. 1 d.		24 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		1, £10		..		3, £30[5]		..		..		1, £10		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Transferred from Incidental Fund.—[2] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[3] Error in balance.—[4] Funeral donation not yet paid.—[5] Including one widow.—[6] Funeral donation due from 1887.—[7] One funeral donation, £20, not received from Grand Lodge.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	25 West Melbourne. West Melbourne. 1873.		26 Prince Arthur. Fitzroy. 1873.		27 Aurora. Corindhap. 1874.		28 Brunswick. Brunswick. 1874.		29 Rodney. Rodney. 1875.		30 St. Crispin. Collingwood. 1876.		31 Frederick. North Richmond. 1876.		32 Wimmera. Stawell. 1876.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 368 18 7	£ s. d. 17 8 9	£ s. d. 670 15 10	£ s. d. 49 14 3	£ s. d. 232 1 7½	£ s. d. 8 17 10½	£ s. d. 315 19 11	£ s. d. 123 4 8	£ s. d. 1,098 19 11½	£ s. d. 8 12 4½	£ s. d. 1,210 13 7	£ s. d. 55 4 3	£ s. d. 598 13 10	£ s. d. 39 6 1	£ s. d. 239 12 2	£ s. d. 20 15 2
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	150 12 9	150 9 0	256 1 6	259 8 0	10 15 6	10 7 6	197 0 10½	203 6 10½	245 10 3	252 4 9	419 12 6	429 7 5	248 4 9	267 14 9	102 3 10	118 6 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 9 0	13 0 0	12 16 0	20 6 6	..	0 5 0	2 5 6	16 1 6	3 7 6	18 9 0	2 1 0	17 10 0	2 16 6	11 14 6	1 6 0	12 0 0
Interest	17 19 0	..	45 14 10	5 16 6	14 14 0	..	19 2 3	5 5 0	74 16 0	..	96 17 1	..	37 15 8	..	5 0 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	2 16 6[1]	1 16 0	..	2 0 6	..	..	..	12 13 11	1 6 8[7]	36 9 3	..	8 0 0	..	0 11 0	..	11 6 0
Total Receipts	172 17 3	165 5 0	314 12 4	287 11 6	25 9 6	10 12 6	218 8 7½	237 7 3½	325 0 5	307 3 0	518 10 7	454 17 5	288 16 11	280 0 3	108 9 10	141 12 10
Total	541 15 10	182 13 9	985 8 2	337 5 9	257 11 1½	19 10 4½	534 8 6½	360 11 11½	1,424 0 4½	315 15 4½	1,729 4 2	510 1 8	887 10 9	319 6 4	348 2 0	162 8 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	77 3 4	..	95 5 0	..	14 3 4	..[5]	97 13 4	..	128 1 8	..	190 17 11	..	126 13 4	..	99 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	97 5 9	..	155 19 7	..	..	..	118 18 0	..	208 7 7	..	263 5 1	..	172 19 10	..	92 1 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	40 8 0	15 2 2	70 4 6	22 0 0	3 14 0	1 3 8	51 5 0	19 11 4½	69 3 0	24 18 11	105 3 6	33 18 6	64 19 6	20 15 8	27 3 0	9 12 6
Management	..	39 5 10	..	59 1 0	..	9 15 6	..	43 2 3	..	61 1 6	..	90 11 6	..	56 15 9	..	24 16 10
Other expenditure	..	25 11 3[3]	..	47 17 9	..	5 5 6[6]	..	25 16 0	..	28 18 1[8]	..	33 12 6	..	40 16 0	..	4 1 6[9]
Total Expenditure	117 11 4	177 5 0	165 9 6	284 18 4	17 17 4	16 4 8	148 18 4	207 7 7½	197 4 8	323 6 1	296 1 5	421 7 7	191 12 10	291 7 3	126 16 4	130 11 10
Balance	424 4 6	5 8 9	819 18 8	52 7 5	239 13 9½	3 5 8½	385 10 2½	153 4 4	1,226 15 8½	-7 10 8½	1,433 2 9	88 14 1	695 17 11	27 19 1	221 5 8	31 16 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	367 19 0	..	758 0 0	52 0 0	237 10 0	..	385 10 2	153 3 3	1,195 7 11	..	1,429 15 9	50 0 0	695 17 11	4 2 1	200 0 0	31 16 2
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	56 5 6	5 8 9	61 18 8	0 7 5	2 3 9½	3 5 8½	0 0 0½	0 1 1	23 17 1	-7 10 8½	3 7 0	38 14 1	..	23 17 0	21 5 8	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 10 8½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	3 0 6[2]	1 4 0[4]	..	..	..	5 3 0[4]	2 7 11[2]	..	..	4 18 9[4]	..	..	..	3 3 0[4]	..	6 2 6[4]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	70	76	131	158	9	8	83	117	148	148	213	233	135	146	44	49
Not entitled { Unfinancial	15	28	12	19	2	2	9	18	23	19	25	33	14	15	9	9
to benefits { New	18	21	15	21	1	..	23	15	12	12	30	25	18	8	9	12
Total	103	125	158	198	12	10	115	150	183	179	268	291	167	169	62	70
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	43		55		..		48		21		53		26		19	
Departures { By death	1, £17 19s.		2, £40		1, £20		..		..		5, £100		1, £20		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	20		13		1		13		25		25		23		10	
Number of members sick	14		21		1		27		23		40		25		12	
Period of sickness	77 w. 1 d.		131 w.		14 w. 1 d.		97 w. 4 d.		132 w.		229 w. 2 d.		126 w. 4 d.		99 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		1, £10		..		..		..		..		2, £20		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Unexpended balance of funeral donation, 9s. 10d., and fines, £2 6s. 8d.—[2] To the credit of the Widows and Orphans' Fund.—[3] Including £4 12s. belonging to another fund.—[4] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[5] No amount appears in the balance-sheet for medical attendance, as there is no lodge surgeon.—[6] Including £1 13s. belonging to another fund.—[7] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[8] Including £8 2s. 9d. belonging to another fund.—[9] Including £3 3s. 6d. belonging to another fund.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	33 Hawthorn. Hawthorn. 1877.		34 Colfax. Richmond. 1877.		35 Lincoln. Collingwood. 1878.		36 Abbotsford. Collingwood. 1887.		37 Harmony. Carlton. 1878.		38 Spring Hill. Creswick. 1880.		39 Shepparton. Shepparton. 1880.		40 Murtoa. Murtoa. 1881.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 285 8 1	£ s. d. −2 13 11	£ s. d. 506 6 4	£ s. d. 6 18 10	£ s. d. 264 18 1	£ s. d. 36 8 4	£ s. d. 515 2 11½	£ s. d. 0 19 8½	£ s. d. 645 4 9½	£ s. d. 97 19 0	£ s. d. 119 6 4½	£ s. d. 15 0 3½	£ s. d. 407 0 3	£ s. d. −15 12 1	£ s. d. 180 3 4	£ s. d. 1 19 9
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	104 0 8	104 6 8	254 16 9	255 4 3	147 3 0½	147 3 0½	165 18 1	165 14 1	289 0 9	289 18 9	74 1 7½	76 2 1½	103 3 5	101 11 6	86 11 6	86 11 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27 18 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 14 6	6 15 0	7 9 6	27 11 0	1 1 6	5 15 0	5 11 6	19 4 6	3 9 6	7 10 0	0 2 0	1 10 0	2 7 0	21 0 0	0 4 6	3 15 6
Interest	16 0 7	..	26 7 10	..	17 3 1	..	26 13 10	..	28 10 0	5 1 4	3 19 6	..	20 6 9	..	11 6 6	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 19 6	..	4 10 6	..	33 3 5	..	10 16 6	..	28 19 1	..	11 19 6	..	57 6 10	..	4 8 3
Total Receipts	121 15 9	114 1 2	288 14 1	287 5 9	165 7 7½	186 1 5½	198 3 5	195 15 1	321 0 3	331 9 2	78 3 1½	89 11 7½	125 17 2	207 16 4	98 2 6	94 15 3
Total	407 3 10	111 7 3	795 0 5	294 4 7	430 5 8½	222 9 9½	713 6 4½	196 14 9½	966 5 0½	429 8 2	197 9 6	104 11 11	532 17 5	192 4 3	278 5 10	96 15 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	27 6 8	..	90 13 4	..	32 3 4	..	100 13 4	..	251 5 5	..	49 3 4	..	11 10 0	..	47 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	63 10 0	..	191 4 3	..	111 4 6	..	120 14 2	..	201 18 6	..	52 18 2	..	72 8 3	..	84 12 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	26 1 0	8 12 7	66 6 6	23 14 9	35 4 6	11 16 4½	47 19 6	15 17 7	80 3 0	26 12 2	20 6 6	6 18 8	27 8 0	9 5 1	23 2 6	7 8 4
Management	..	29 6 1	..	65 11 4	..	55 13 9	..	44 19 6	..	89 10 9	..	26 6 9	..	37 16 0	..	14 17 0
Other expenditure	0 3 0[1]	3 13 6[2]	..	5 3 6	..	36 14 11[4]	..	14 2 10	..	30 18 0	..	8 18 10[6]	..	7 15 7[7]	..	0 15 3
Total Expenditure	53 10 8	105 2 2	156 19 10	285 13 10	67 7 10	215 9 6½	148 12 10	195 14 1	331 8 5	348 19 5	69 9 10	95 2 5	38 18 0	127 4 11	70 19 2	107 12 7
Balance	353 13 2	6 5 1	638 0 7	8 10 9	362 17 10½	7 0 3	564 13 6½	1 0 8½	634 16 7½	80 8 9	127 19 8	9 9 6	493 19 5	64 19 4	207 6 8	−10 17 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	310 4 3	..	600 0 0	..	275 0 0	..	491 6 9	..	634 16 7½	50 0 0	100 0 0	..	493 19 5	64 19 4	175 3 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	43 8 11	6 5 1	38 0 7	8 10 9	87 17 10½	7 0 3	73 6 9½	1 0 8½	..	30 8 9	27 19 8	9 9 6	..	..	21 5 7	−10 17 7
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10 17 7	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	1 17 6[3]	..	8 10 0[3]	..	2 0 11[3]	..	..	..	..	..	3 5 2[3]	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	54	61	124	160	76	80	88	107	166	166	49	49	43	54	42	34
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	8	11	11	22	19	12	12	21	17	22	..	4	17	11	13	20
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	3	22	24	5	8	15	30	14	7	4	..	10	17	5	4
Total	69	75	157	206	100	100	115	158	197	195	53	53	70	82	60	58
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	14		64		16		54		23		3		33		12	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		2, £40		2, £40		..		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	8		15		16		9		23		3		20		14	
Number of members sick	7		32		13		25		39		17		6		6	
Period of sickness	27 w. 2 d.		90 w. 4 d.		32 w. 1 d.		100 w. 4 d.		347 w. 2 d.		49 w. 1 d.		11 w. 3 d.		47 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1, £10		..		..		4, £40[5]		..		2, £20		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

Error in balance.—[1] Including £1 18s. belonging to another fund.—[2] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[3] Including £29 1s. 11d. belonging to another fund.—[4] Including one widow.—[5] Including £7 16s. 2d. belonging to another fund.—[6] Including error in balance £2 11s.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	41 Ridgely.* Numurkah. 1882.		42 Wildey. Port Melbourne. 1882.		43 Grangeburn. Hamilton. 1882.		44 Garfield. Allandale. 1882.		45 Belvoir.* Wodonga. 1883.		46 Flemington. Newmarket. 1883.		47 Rochester. Rochester. 1883.		48 Irrewillipe. Irrewillipe. 1883.		49 Heytesbury.[8] Cobden. 1884.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	162 5 1½	−36 5 0½	384 6 4½	47 2 1	187 10 4	9 2 10	79 2 2½	43 16 3½	144 13 8	−10 15 4	250 19 10	−8 1 0	249 4 3	3 1 1	109 8 4½	3 17 8	26 7 0	0 17 2
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	170 13 10½	171 18 10½	221 4 10½	225 8 4½	44 11 9	45 11 9	137 6 7½	137 6 7½	39 1 6	40 12 8	112 7 9	112 7 9	102 11 9	104 16 9	56 19 0	56 19 0	..	..
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	18 9 0	39 0 6	1 14 0	17 5 0	0 5 0	1 4 6	1 6 6	9 17 6	..	..	1 17 6	9 5 0	2 2 0	9 19 0	0 2 0	1 3 6	..	..
Interest	4 19 0	..	16 2 9	..	9 0 0	0 10 0	2 10 0	..	3 0 0	..	9 9 6	..	9 12 6	..	1 14 4	3 2 6[6]	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	66 9 8	..	13 5 6	..	2 5 9	..	1 1 6	..	..	..	5 1 4	..	8 12 0	..	..	..	8 13 4
Total Receipts	194 1 10½	277 9 0½	239 1 7½	255 18 10½	53 16 9	49 12 0	141 3 1½	148 5 7½	42 1 6	40 12 8	123 14 9	126 14 1	114 6 3	123 7 9	58 15 4	61 5 0	..	8 13 4
Total	356 7 0	241 4 0	623 8 0	303 0 11½	241 7 1	58 14 10	220 5 4	192 1 11	186 15 2	29 17 4	374 14 7	118 13 1	363 10 6	126 8 10	168 3 8½	65 2 8	26 7 0	9 10 6
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	43 16 8	..	111 8 9	..	24 17 4	..	177 0 11	..	30 0 0	..	57 10 0	..	54 13 4	..	17 13 4	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	165 7 6	..	149 8 0	..	31 0 0	..	92 16 1	..	45 0 0	..	75 14 8	..	94 18 0	..	43 12 0	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	41 17 7½	16 9 6½	57 17 6	19 8 3	12 7 6	5 4 0	35 6 6	11 12 1	14 4 0	4 19 6	28 17 6	10 5 7	20 18 0	6 19 3	15 6 6	4 19 3½	1 0 0	9 10 6
Management	..	53 12 6	..	57 9 6	..	17 13 6	..	28 15 6	..	..	..	40 15 11	..	16 11 0	..	10 6 3	..	..
Other expenditure	..	14 15 6	..	28 7 6	..	4 17 4	..	7 11 5[3]	..	4 5 2	..	6 11 0[4]	..	7 12 10[5]	..	14 9 3[7]	25 7 0[8]	..
Total Expenditure	85 14 3½	250 5 0½	169 6 3	254 13 3	37 4 10	58 14 10	212 7 5	140 15 1	44 4 0	54 4 8	86 7 6	133 7 2	75 11 4	126 1 1	32 19 10	73 6 9½	26 7 0	9 10 6
Balance	270 12 8½	−9 1 0½	454 1 9	48 7 8½	204 2 3	..	7 17 11	51 6 10	142 11 2	−24 7 4	288 7 1	−14 14 1	287 19 2	0 7 9	135 3 10½	−8 4 1½	..	..
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	208 19 0	..	450 0 0	..	200 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	245 9 6	..	275 0 0	..	30 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	52 12 8	−9 1 0½	4 1 9	48 7 8½	4 2 3	..	7 17 11	51 6 10	18 3 10	−24 7 4	28 3 6	−14 14 1	12 19 2	0 7 9	46 19 9	−8 4 1½	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	9 1 0½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24 7 4	..	14 14 1	..	..	..	8 4 1½	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	0 13 1[2]	..	7 8 6[2]	..	..	..	1 2 3[2]	..	10 13 0[2]	..	1 15 7[2]	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	62	92	112	121	25	28	79	81	25	27	56	57	58	46	31	31	5	..
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	17	43	21	24	5	3	7	8	7	16	12	15	..	21	4	7	1	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	17	..	16	13	4	2	3	7	12	..	5	18	9	4	1	1	..	..
Total	96	135	149	158	34	33	89	96	44	43	73	90	67	71	36	39	6	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	41		42		4		19		..		28		16		5		..	
Departures — By death	2, £40		5, £40[1]		..		1, £20		..		1, £20		..		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	..		28		5		11		1		10		12		2		6	
Number of members sick	8		17		4		33		4		10		11		7		..	
Period of sickness	43 w. 5 d.		116 w.		24 w. 5 d.		186 w.		30 w.		57 w. 3 d.		54 w. 4 d.		17 w. 4 d.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1, £10		..		..		..		..		1, £10		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

* Complete returns were not furnished for these lodges.

[1] Three of the members were not entitled to benefits at death.—[2] To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[3] Including £6 1s. 2d. belonging to another fund.—[4] Including £3 14s. 6d. belonging to another fund.—[5] Including £3 belonging to another fund.—[6] As the amount invested in hall belongs to the Sick and Funeral Fund this sum, half rent, is wrongly credited —[7] Including £5 0s. 4d. belonging to another fund.—[8] This lodge was closed during 1888, and balance transferred to Grand Lodge.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	50 Star of the North. Nathalia. 1884.		51 Kidston. Clifton Hill. 1884.		52 Templeton. Preston. 1884.		53 Albert Park. Albert Park. 1885.		54 Sylvan. North Carlton. 1887.		55 Horsham. Horsham. 1887.		56 Stirling. Kyabram. 1888.		57 Box Hill. Box Hill. 1888.		58 King. Yarrawonga. 1888.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	106 13 10	−8 3 10	76 0 8	9 6 7½	35 13 6½	0 7 5½	30 7 1	18 4 7	20 2 11	9 4 8	3 1 9	3 11 6	..	..	..	..	..	..
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	84 13 3	84 13 3	62 18 5	62 18 4	58 1 3	59 3 9	83 15 3	83 15 3	64 18 0½	67 0 7	10 19 9	10 19 9	16 3 3	16 3 3	27 15 1½	27 15 1½	30 17 6	35 7 6
Special levies	..	28 17 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 14 3[2]	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 5 0	11 9 6	0 7 6	10 12 6	8 1 0	13 10 0	3 7 0	12 14 6	1 0 6	7 6 0	0 19 0	7 13 6	2 7 0	19 0 0	4 16 6	16 5 0	9 2 0	46 2 6
Interest	4 9 3	..	5 10 2	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	0 8 7	0 2 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	5 11 6	..	10 5 6	..	0 10 0	..	2 3 7	..	8 12 0	..	3 7 0	..	10 1 8	..	3 9 6	..	3 12 3
Total Receipts	93 7 6	130 11 9	68 16 1	83 16 4	68 2 3	73 3 9	87 2 3	98 13 4	66 7 1½	83 0 8	11 18 9	22 0 3	18 10 3	45 19 2	32 11 7½	47 9 7½	39 19 6	85 2 3
Total	200 1 4	122 7 11	144 16 9	93 2 11½	103 15 9½	73 11 2½	117 9 4	116 17 11	86 10 0½	92 5 4	15 0 6	25 11 9	18 10 3	45 19 2	32 11 7½	47 9 7½	39 19 6	85 2 3
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	23 6 8	..	1 0 0	..	11 9 2	..	22 3 4	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	86 5 0	..	20 2 7	..	37 0 0	..	84 13 1	..	42 19 0	..	10 17 11	..	21 18 0	..	11 15 0	..	29 16 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	23 10 9	7 13 2	16 13 0	6 6 6	15 6 0	5 4 0	23 13 0	8 5 8	17 5 6	6 5 1½	3 1 6	0 18 10	4 17 0	1 18 11	..	8 2 8[3]	10 13 6	4 8 9½
Management	..	18 4 9	..	27 6 3	..	16 15 5	..	24 3 9	..	20 7 2	..	9 10 10	..	10 13 0	..	11 19 5	..	25 12 7
Other expenditure	..	3 7 9	..	26 3 0	..	3 8 0	..	4 10 0	..	16 18 6	..	4 7 6	..	12 2 7	..	15 4 0	..	25 3 9
Total Expenditure	46 17 5	115 10 8	17 13 0	79 18 4	26 15 2	62 7 5	45 16 4	121 12 6	19 5 6	86 9 9½	3 1 6	25 15 1	4 17 0	46 12 6	..	47 1 1	10 13 6	85 1 7½
Balance	153 3 11	6 17 3	127 3 9	13 4 7½	77 0 7½	11 3 9½	71 13 0	−4 14 7	67 4 6½	5 15 6½	11 19 0	−0 3 4	13 13 3	−0 13 4	32 11 7½	0 8 6½	29 6 0	0 0 7½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	100 0 0	..	85 10 2	..	67 0 0	..	20 0 0	..	40 10 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	53 3 11	6 17 3	41 13 7	13 4 7½	10 0 7½	11 3 9½	46 18 5	−4 14 7	26 13 10½	5 15 6½	11 15 8	−0 3 4	13 13 3	−0 13 4	32 11 7½	0 8 6½	29 6 0	0 0 7½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 14 7	..	..	..	0 3 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 14 0[1]	..	..	..	0 8 6[1]	..	..	..	1 0 9[1]	..	1 3 3[1]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	29	42	23	29	31	29	43	48	1	34	..	5	..	10	..	29	..	30
Not entitled { Unfinancial	13	13	6	17	5	8	5	17	4	9	..	5	..	7	..	..	..	8
to benefits { New	11	10	14	17	3	14	16	13	35	9	11	8	..	4	..	11	..	10
Total	53	65	43	63	39	51	64	78	40	52	11	18	..	21	..	40	..	48
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	21		29		21		27		17		12		21		40		48	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	9		9		9		13		5		5		..		..		..	
Number of members sick	4		1		3		8		2		..		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	23 w. 2 d.		1 w.		19 w. 5 d.		22 w. 1 d.		2 w.		..		..		..		1[4]	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		..		..			

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

To the credit of the Contingent Fund.—[2] The secretary states that this amount will be returned to members, it having been levied contrary to law.—[3] The dues both to the Grand Lodge Funeral and Incidental Funds appear to have been paid out of the Incidental Fund.—[4] Husband not entitled to benefits.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

	59 Cobram. Cobram. 1888.		60 Wright. Toorak. 1888.		61 Gordon. Newport. 1888.		62 Tallygaroopna. Tallygaroopna. 1888.		63 Berwick. Berwick. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Lodge Funds.		The whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 27,931 13 3½	£ s. d. 4,364 0 4½	£ s. d. 21,126 19 11	£ s. d. 34 11 11	£ s. d. 49,058 13 2½	£ s. d. 4,398 12 3½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	21 1 6	21 1 6	19 4 3	19 4 3	17 6 6	17 6 6	3 11 3	3 11 3	..	..	9,751 17 11½	9,906 7 4	..	..	9,751 17 11½	9,906 7 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	145 18 9	..	..	..	145 18 9
Initiation fees, &c.	2 10 0	14 16 3	1 9 0	15 3 6	2 13 0	17 12 6	2 12 6	12 7 6	2 17 6	11 12 6	181 19 5	763 19 9	..	..	181 19 5	763 19 9
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,665 15 9	75 10 8	..	..	2,910 17 10	75 10 8
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,245 2 1	..	2,585 11 11½	887 19 11½
Other receipts	..	0 14 0	..	..	..	2 2 6	..	1 8 6	..	..	196 13 2	802 0 2	2,585 11 11½ / 58 13 4½[2]	887 19 11½ / 157 18 3	2,585 11 11½ / 255 6 6½	887 19 11½ / 959 18 5
Total Receipts	23 11 6	36 11 9	20 13 3	34 7 9	19 19 6	37 1 6	6 3 9	17 7 3	2 17 6	11 12 6	11,796 6 3½	11,693 16 8	3,889 7 5	1,045 18 2½	15,685 13 8½	12,739 14 10½
Total	23 11 6	36 11 9	20 13 3	34 7 9	19 19 6	37 1 6	6 3 9	17 7 3	2 17 6	11 12 6	39,727 19 7	16,057 17 0½	25,016 7 4	1,080 10 1½	64,744 6 11	17,138 7 2
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,239 5 7	..	..	..	5,239 5 7	..
Medical attendance	..	10 17 0	..	7 4 0	..	1 14 3	..	0 15 10	..	..	..	7,203 16 1	..	..	..	7,203 16 1
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,787 3 0	..	1,787 3 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	6 14 6	2 3 1½	3 8 0	0 19 4½	6 6 4	5 0 5½	..	1 2 2	..	..	2,585 11 11½	887 19 11½	..	..	2,585 11 11½	887 19 11½
Management	..	7 16 6	..	5 12 0	..	2 13 0	..	6 9 0	..	..	..	2,458 9 4	..	754 8 1	..	3,212 17 5
Other expenditure	..	20 16 3	..	18 5 7½	..	7 7 3	..	..	..	4 1 9	37 9 10	3,290 7 11½	612 8 5[3]	245 7 3½	649 18 3	3,535 15 3
Total Expenditure	6 14 6	41 12 10½	3 8 0	32 1 0	6 6 4	16 14 11½	..	8 7 0	..	4 1 9	7,862 7 4½	13,840 13 4	2,399 11 5	999 15 4½	10,261 18 9½	14,840 8 8½
Balance	16 17 0	−5 1 1½	17 5 3	2 6 9	13 13 2	20 6 6½	6 3 9	9 0 3	2 17 6	7 10 9	31,865 12 2½	2,217 3 8½	22,616 15 11	80 14 9	54,482 8 1½	2,297 18 5½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,862 6 0½	1,503 7 4	13,277 2 4	..	41,139 8 4½	1,503 7 4
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,078 12 6	7 0 0	9,339 13 7	..	11,418 6 1	7 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	11 15 10⅔	−5 1 1½	17 5 3	2 6 9	13 13 2	20 6 6½	6 3 9	9 0 3	2 17 6	7 10 9	1,822 2 7½	706 16 4½	..	80 14 9	1,822 2 7½	787 11 1½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	5 1 1½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	102 11 0½	..	..	..	102 11 0½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46 16 5	2,372 18 7½	..	..	46 16 5	2,372 18 7½
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	28	..	16	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,097	5,660
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	4	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	595	866
to benefits { New	..	6	..	12	..	38	..	18	..	27	..	..	..	..	684	753
Total	..	38	..	35	..	42	..	18	..	27	..	..	..	..	6,376	7,279
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	38		35		43		19		27		..		..		1,730[4]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		1[1]		..		..		..		76, £1,437 3s.	
Departures { Otherwise	..		..		1		..		..		..		..		751[5]	
Number of members sick	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		985	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		6,044 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		37, £350	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Not entitled to benefits.—[2] Difference between statements of lodges and Grand Lodge as to Grand Lodge funeral dues.—[3] Funeral donations to members in other colonies, £64 6s., and amount owing to bank last year wrongly shown as an asset, £546 2s. 5d.—[4] One hundred and sixty-one of these were admitted by clearance.—[5] One hundred and twenty-eight of these left by clearance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	1 Star of Australia Felix. Melbourne. 1847.		2 Mount Alexander. Castlemaine. 1860.		3 Pioneer. Ballarat. 1861.		4 Good Samaritan. South Melbourne. 1861.		5 Star of Bendigo. Sandhurst. 1861.		6 Star of Maryborough. Maryborough. 1862.		7 Hope of Tarrengower. Maldon. 1862.		8 Enterprise. Daylesford. 1862.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 6,038 12 10	£ s. d. 52 16 2	£ s. d. 1,052 17 11	£ s. d. 24 2 8	£ s. d. −9 4 10	£ s. d. 27 11 6	£ s. d. 2,390 6 9	£ s. d. 137 15 4	£ s. d. 6,935 3 3	£ s. d. 57 1 5	£ s. d. 640 2 6	£ s. d. 11 19 5	£ s. d. 1,248 12 6	£ s. d. −29 7 9	£ s. d. 824 1 6	£ s. d. 5 4 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	438 17 0	470 10 2	102 19 3	122 19 11	162 2 7	145 7 9	486 16 10	466 5 6	395 10 2	313 8 7	70 15 6	66 6 7	234 13 9	228 1 0	166 19 1	162 17 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	9 10 0	..	0 12 6	..	1 7 6	1 6 0	8 7 6	..	2 7 6	..	1 7 6	..	1 12 6	..	0 15 0
Interest	353 10 9	..	47 13 9	..	..	..	164 5 6	8 2 0	417 8 1	2 16 0	39 2 1	..	39 7 7	..	10 2 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	8 3 0	..	0 6 0	63 19 9[1]	3 1 0	6 0 0[2]	8 12 6	..	8 17 6	1 10 0[2]	1 10 0	..	9 0 5	..	3 2 6
Total Receipts	792 7 9	488 3 2	150 13 0	123 18 5	226 2 4	149 16 3	658 8 4	491 7 6	812 18 3	327 9 7	111 7 7	69 4 1	274 1 4	238 13 11	177 1 1	166 15 4
Total	6,831 0 7	540 19 4	1,203 10 11	148 1 1	216 17 6	177 7 9	3,048 15 1	629 2 10	7,748 1 6	384 11 0	751 10 1	81 3 6	1,522 13 10	209 6 2	1,001 2 7	171 19 4
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	284 8 4	..	67 19 4	..	191 8 8	..	202 6 8	..	367 8 4	..	41 3 4	..	305 6 8	..	96 6 8	..
Medical attendance	..	330 6 3	..	73 16 6	..	91 0 4	..	326 15 3	..	204 13 2	..	40 14 0	..	147 19 6	..	95 5 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	80 6 8	61 15 6	4 18 1	29 2 0	23 19 11	20 12 9	81 2 4	66 10 6	58 11 7	51 6 0	9 4 3	7 6 6	33 11 5	31 10 6	25 13 1	20 16 6
Management	..	94 12 11	..	22 19 9	..	46 13 1	..	93 19 8	..	87 1 6	..	16 19 6	..	44 5 0	..	48 5 5
Other expenditure	29 16 8[1]	21 14 0	..	2 13 6	..	4 9 6	..	6 9 3	1 15 10[3]	7 6 0	..	5 9 9	2 16 8[2]	12 7 9	..	3 1 0
Total Expenditure	394 11 8	508 8 8	72 17 5	128 11 9	215 8 7	162 15 8	283 9 0	493 14 8	427 15 9	350 6 8	50 7 7	70 9 9	341 14 9	236 2 9	121 19 9	167 8 8
Balance	6,436 8 11	32 10 8	1,130 13 6	19 9 4	1 8 11	14 12 1	2,765 6 1	135 8 2	7,320 5 9	34 4 4	701 2 6	10 13 9	1,180 19 1	−26 16 7	879 2 10	4 10 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	6,400 0 0	..	900 10 8	19 9 4	..	..	2,765 0 0	130 0 0	7,317 5 4	34 0 0	446 12 11	..	1,154 2 6	..	853 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	203 2 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	233 4 9	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	36 8 11	32 10 8	27 0 0	..	1 8 11	14 12 1	0 6 1	5 8 2	3 0 5	0 4 4	21 4 10	10 13 9	..	−26 16 7	26 2 10	4 10 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26 16 7	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	249	260	76	72	93	98	283	291	233	248	32	39	141	139	96	100
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	2	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	53	65	2	5	8	7	50	57	36	18	4	11	15	11	9	7
Total	302	325	78	77	101	105	333	348	269	266	55	50	156	152	105	107
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	65		5		9		73		21		13		11		8	
Departures { By death	6, £120		1, £20		2, £40		3, £60		2, £40		..		2, £40		..	
Departures { Otherwise	36		5		3		55		22		18		13		6	
Number of members sick	43		9		22		47		59		9		45		14	
Period of sickness	385 w. 3 d.		146 w.		342 w. 5 d.		241 w. 2 d.		416 w. 2 d.		41 w. 1 d.		388 w. 4 d.		174 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £30		..		..		1, £15		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance

[1] From District Relief Fund.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other tents.—[3] Sick pay advanced for other tents.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	9 Victoria. North Melbourne. 1862.		11 Rose of Denmark. Fitzroy. 1863.		12 Progress. Campbell's Creek. 1863.		13 Excelsior.[2] Tarnagulla. 1863.		14 Refuge. Eaglehawk. 1863.		16 Williamstown. Williamstown. 1863.		18 Excelsior. Ballarat. 1864.		19 Garibaldi. Buninyong. 1864.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	3,294 8 5	1 14 7	1,282 9 7	3 9 9	569 12 3	68 5 10	483 0 3½	−21 14 9½	449 14 1	5 2 5	1,272 0 1	23 9 3	2,835 19 6	10 16 9	634 15 6	0 1 7
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	232 5 5	379 15 8	354 9 5	394 16 2	81 6 2½	56 9 10	..	..	106 8 10	161 12 7	176 17 0	235 8 10	284 8 10	279 3 11	51 17 7	60 6 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 17 6	..	6 5 0	..	0 10 0	..	..	..	1 2 6	..	..	..	3 2 6	..	..
Interest	204 5 4	..	54 7 1	..	24 16 0	1 3 11	..	..	20 6 2	..	55 5 6	..	224 13 6	..	26 6 6	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 10 1	..	11 7 0	..	1 9 6	..	22 15 9½	..	3 9 0	13 12 0[3]	19 8 0	14 10 0[4]	1 13 6	..	..
Total Receipts ..	436 10 9	391 3 3	408 16 6	412 8 2	106 2 2½	59 13 3	..	22 15 9½	126 15 0	166 4 1	245 14 6	254 16 10	523 12 4	283 19 11	78 4 1	60 6 5
Total	3,730 19 2	392 17 10	1,691 6 1	415 17 11	675 14 5½	127 19 1	483 0 3½	1 1 0	576 9 1	171 6 6	1,517 14 7	278 6 1	3,359 11 10	294 16 8	712 19 7	60 8 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	251 18 4	..	234 16 8	..	83 0 0	..	..	..	113 19 2	..	94 5 2	..	260 13 4	..	45 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	248 3 9	..	267 12 6	..	29 11 0	..	..	..	89 0 0	..	154 13 3	..	160 10 6	..	37 16 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	57 10 0	46 6 11	81 19 0	67 6 0	12 19 8	11 4 0	1 1 0	1 1 0	24 1 7	19 3 0	28 17 7	24 17 1	40 10 11	35 14 0	8 19 2	8 0 0
Management	..	74 15 9	..	69 17 3	..	20 19 4	..	..	..	45 16 0	..	36 17 10	..	67 5 0	..	15 18 6
Other expenditure	5 19 2[1]	5 16 6	..	9 10 9	..	3 0 10	481 19 3½[2]	..	..	3 9 0	..	29 1 2	..	6 4 6	..	..
Total Expenditure ..	315 7 6	375 2 11	316 15 8	414 6 6	95 19 8	64 15 2	483 0 3½	1 1 0	138 0 9	157 8 0	123 2 9	245 9 4	301 4 3	269 14 0	54 12 6	61 14 9
Balance	3,415 11 8	17 14 11	1,374 10 5	1 11 5	579 14 9½	63 3 11	..	..	438 8 4	13 18 6	1,394 11 10	32 16 9	3,058 7 7	25 2 8	658 7 1	−1 6 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	3,415 11 8	15 4 11	1,320 0 0	..	579 14 9	26 8 5	..	..	438 8 4	13 18 6	779 11 10	32 2 8	3,042 10 2	..	640 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	36 15 6	..	..	..	..	615 0 0	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	..	2 10 0	54 10 5	1 11 5	0 0 0½	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 14 1	15 17 5	25 2 8	17 0 4	−1 6 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 6 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits	220	212	240	302	51	47	7	..	90	90	100	110	163	165	37	41
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	6	..	..	..	5	4	..	3	2	4	5	..	..	2	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	13	28	80	46	9	4	..	..	7	6	18	28	11	21	2	..
Total	233	246	320	348	60	56	11	..	100	98	122	143	174	186	41	41
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	35		55		4		..		6		31		26		..	
Departures .. { By death ..	1, £20		..		..		1, £20		1, £20		2, £40		1, £20		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	21		27		8		10		7		8		13		..	
Number of members sick ..	39		37		12		..		17		25		27		4	
Period of sickness	372 w. 1 d.		267 w. 5 d.		83 w.		..		160 w. 3 d.		99 w. 5 d.		439 w. 4 d.		45 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		1, £15		..		..		..		..		..		1, £15	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.—[2] This tent was closed during the year, and the balance transferred to the district.—[3] Repayment of loan.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other tents.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	21 Princess Alexandra. Creswick. 1864.		22 Oriental. Wandiligong. 1864.		25 Albert. Ceres. 1865.		27 Victoria. Talbot. 1865.		28 Morning Star. Clunes. 1865.		30 Rising Star. Port Melbourne. 1865.		32 Star of Sebastopol. Sebastopol. 1865.		33 Rescue. Dunolly. 1865.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	263 15 11	23 16 1	325 17 2	−3 15 9	620 19 11½	−27 15 7½	307 12 2	29 5 0	..	..	1,248 15 8	12 5 9	53 7 10	5 11 4	404 3 9	−15 8 8
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	53 0 1	51 14 10	54 9 9	80 2 9	25 13 1	21 1 9	70 9 5	71 8 10	132 12 7	125 19 1	100 18 11	110 19 7	82 12 6	81 15 5	24 2 2	26 16 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 3 0	0 12 6	..	0 2 6	..	..	..	0 2 6	..	1 5 0	..	2 15 0	..	2 5 0	..	..
Interest	8 13 0	..	9 0 0	..	26 12 2	..	23 18 9	2 18 0	..	..	78 1 0	..	2 11 5	..	3 10 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 6 0	..	0 13 6	..	0 12 0	..	0 14 6	57 0 8[2]	17 6 3	..	3 15 0	..	2 7 6	10 0 0[6]	0 5 0
Total Receipts	62 16 1	53 13 4	63 9 9	80 18 9	52 5 3	21 13 9	94 8 2	75 3 10	189 13 3	144 10 4	178 19 11	117 9 7	85 3 11	86 7 11	37 12 2	27 1 6
Total	326 12 0	77 9 5	389 6 11	77 3 0	673 5 2½	−6 1 10½	402 0 4	104 8 10	189 13 3	144 10 4	1,427 15 7	129 15 4	138 11 9	91 19 3	441 15 11	11 12 10
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	37 16 8	..	129 0 0	..	27 0 0	..	39 1 8	..	185 13 4	..	26 16 8	..	68 8 4	..	11 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	32 18 0	..	57 14 9	..	10 5 0	..	40 12 9	..	79 3 8	..	72 10 6	..	51 19 8	..	10 5 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	7 8 1	5 8 9	9 6 5	8 1 0	..	8 11 0[1]	8 6 8	7 12 0	20 8 8	16 9 6	18 10 2	13 10 0	12 7 6	11 13 0	3 18 2	2 19 0
Management	..	18 11 0	..	17 11 6	..	2 18 3	..	23 1 9	..	34 17 1	..	17 11 0	..	16 9 0	..	8 11 0
Other expenditure	..	0 4 3	..	..	..	..	..	6 5 0	10 6 9[3]	10 9 11	69 18 0[5]	8 5 4	..	2 7 6	1 1 8[7]	1 0 6
Total Expenditure	45 4 9	57 2 0	138 6 5	83 7 3	27 0 0	21 14 3	47 8 4	77 11 6	216 8 9	141 0 2	115 4 10	111 16 10	80 15 10	82 9 2	16 9 10	22 15 10
Balance	281 7 3	20 7 5	251 0 6	−6 4 3	646 5 2½	−27 16 1½	354 12 0	26 17 4	−26 15 6	3 10 2	1,312 10 9	17 18 6	57 15 11	9 10 1	425 6 1	−11 3 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	267 10 0	12 10 0	224 2 9	..	583 7 0	..	338 12 8	26 17 4	..	..	859 4 1	..	52 11 5	..	180 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	410 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	88 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	13 17 3	7 17 5	20 13 6	−6 4 3	35 2 1	−27 16 1½	15 19 4	..	−26 15 6[4]	3 10 2	43 6 8	17 18 6	5 4 6	9 10 1	46 3 1	−11 3 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	6 4 3	..	27 16 1½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11 3 0	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	30	27	40	38	17	19	32	28	65	76	44	47	43	48	14	16
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	1	3	2	1	..	..	..	4	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	4	1	1	2	..	4	9	7	8	15	22	9	16	..	2
Total	33	34	43	40	19	19	36	41	79	84	59	69	52	64	14	18
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	4		1		..		9		9		24		17		4	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		1, £20		1, £20		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	3		4		..		4		3		13		5		..	
Number of members sick	5		13		5		4		18		7		13		3	
Period of sickness	76 w. 5 d.		168 w.		27 w.		105 w. 5 d.		341 w. 4 d.		26 w. 5 d.		94 w. 1 d.		11 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		1, £15		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including District Funeral Dues wrongly paid out of this fund.—[2] From District Relief Fund, £52 5s. 6d.; sick pay refunded by other tents, £4 15s. 2d.—[3] Debit balance from last year.—[4] Bank overdraft.—[5] Cost of new fence to hall debited to wrong fund.—[6] Sale of land.—[7] Error in balance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	34 Perseverance. Prahran. 1865.		36 St. Arnaud. St. Arnaud. 1865.		37 Campaspe. Kyneton. 1865.		39 Cobden. California Gully. 1865.		41 Haste to the Rescue. Stawell. 1865.		42 Olive Branch. Kangaroo Flat. 1865.		43 Progress. Beaufort. 1865.		44 Western Pioneer. Hamilton. 1865.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	2,081 6 4	83 15 4	333 19 0	23 5 0	3,487 13 1	27 6 1	422 1 0	17 5 0	29 15 6	35 5 11	262 0 5	23 16 3	1,041 13 0	3 9 8	239 2 0	15 9 5
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	320 15 1	306 0 10	56 2 6	77 5 2	151 1 3	142 14 4	150 5 4	169 15 1	160 12 7	163 7 4	122 8 9	109 7 9	109 13 5	127 11 10	59 2 4	74 2 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 0 0	..	2 0 0	..	1 0 0	..	2 10 0	..	0 17 6	..	0 17 6	..	4 2 6	0 9 6	3 10 0
Interest	93 1 0	5 10 0	23 13 0	4 5 0	186 5 6	1 8 0	17 19 7	..	2 16 0	..	10 0 2	2 10 0	52 18 0	..	14 0 0	0 8 1
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	17 13 5	..	0 10 6	..	0 13 0	..	4 13 0	10 0 0[2]	14 2 2	..	1 18 9	..	11 19 6	..	7 12 6
Total Receipts ..	413 16 1	332 4 3	79 15 6	84 0 8	337 6 9	145 15 4	168 4 11	176 18 1	173 8 7	178 7 0	132 8 11	114 14 0	162 11 5	143 13 10	73 11 10	85 13 1
Total	2,495 2 5	415 19 7	413 14 6	107 5 8	3,824 19 10	173 1 5	590 5 11	194 3 1	203 4 1	213 12 11	394 9 4	138 10 3	1,204 4 5	147 3 6	312 13 10	101 2 6
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	171 3 0	..	95 8 4	..	105 3 4	..	220 14 8	..	175 3 4	..	48 0 0	..	54 11 8	..	45 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	181 5 0	..	55 19 2	..	102 10 0	..	93 0 0	..	136 12 6	..	69 10 0	..	91 5 7	..	45 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	42 17 6	39 14 0	10 11 10	9 16 2	23 11 6	23 0 0	12 12 5	35 10 9	19 6 5	15 2 6	17 17 7	15 17 0	17 15 9	15 18 6	9 3 4	8 15 0
Management	..	75 8 6	..	21 6 1	..	42 10 5	..	43 5 7	..	47 9 8	..	25 6 0	..	21 10 11	..	16 8 0
Other expenditure	4 0 0[1]	11 8 0	..	4 19 3	..	1 1 0	..	16 4 9	..	7 0 6	..	20 17 4	..	12 1 9	..	13 13 0
Total Expenditure ..	218 0 6	307 15 6	106 0 2	92 0 8	128 14 10	169 1 5	233 7 1	188 1 1	194 9 9	206 5 2	65 17 7	131 10 4	72 7 5	140 16 9	55 0 0	83 16 0
Balance	2,277 1 11	107 3 1	307 14 4	15 5 0	3,696 5 0	4 0 0	356 18 10	6 2 0	8 14 4	7 7 9	328 11 9	6 19 11	1,131 17 0	6 6 9	257 13 10	17 6 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,240 0 0	90 0 0	307 14 4	15 5 0	3,670 7 9	..	355 0 0	..	..	..	325 0 0	5 0 0	575 0 0	..	233 3 8	17 6 6
Invested in halls	975 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	528 0 0	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	62 1 11	18 4 1	..	..	25 17 3	4 0 0	1 18 10	6 2 0	8 14 4	7 7 9	3 11 9	1 19 11	28 17 0	6 6 9	24 10 2	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits ..	168	180	37	31	98	108	78	94	82	75	74	72	56	68	25	27
Not entitled { Unfinancial ..	7	4	..	5	..	..	2	2	1	1	1	5	5	3	3	3
to benefits { New	29	30	11	13	15	9	22	20	9	11	8	7	13	20	14	29
Total	204	214	48	49	113	117	102	116	92	87	83	84	74	91	42	59
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	33		13		10		20		11		8		21		32	
Departures .. { By death ..	2, £40		1, £20		2, £40		..		2, £40		..		1, £20		3, £30[3]	
{ Otherwise ..	21		11		4		6		14		7		3		12	
Number of members sick ..	22		7		20		28		17		15		19		7	
Period of sickness	178 w. 1 d.		100 w. 1 d.		116 w.		239 w. 2 d.		181 w. 4 d.		50 w. 2 d.		56 w. 1 d.		58 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.——[2] Grant by District.——[3] One member half-benefit, and one not entitled to benefit.

Name of branch	45 Hampden.	48 Moyne.	50 Hawthorn.	52 Star of Newstead.	53 Rose of Linton.	54 Brunswick.	56 Yarborough.	57 Alliance.
Where situated	Camperdown.	Port Fairy.	Glenferrie.	Newstead.	Linton.	Brunswick.	Chewton.	Richmond.
Year when established	1865.	1866.	1866.	1866.	1866.	1866.	1866.	1866.
	Sick and Funeral Fund. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd. / Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd. / Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.	£ s. d. / £ s. d.
	617 14 3 / 2 1 3	14 5 3 / −14 5 3	604 7 0 / 14 17 3½	252 10 3 / 24 8 8	465 8 8 / 1 17 11	1,475 18 4½ / 0 2 6½	591 11 7½ / 10 17 9	720 2 6 / 56 17 2
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	72 10 1 / 73 14 7	28 16 0 / 24 3 9	103 19 8 / 118 16 1	43 19 7 / 53 0 7	32 11 10 / 50 18 6	303 0 11 / 330 15 6	53 0 4 / 49 6 0	231 17 6 / 233 19 9
Special levies	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
Initiation fees, &c.	.. / 0 17 6	.. / ..	.. / 2 14 6	.. / 1 10 0	.. / 1 2 6	.. / 10 7 6	.. / 1 13 9	.. / 5 12 6
Interest	34 9 0 / ..	.. / ..	45 6 3 / 0 2 8	8 2 0 / 1 1 0	20 8 0 / ..	125 10 2 / ..	30 3 0 / ..	37 14 0 / 1 16 0
District dues	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
Other receipts	.. / 2 2 0	25 7 11 [2] / ..	.. / 8 18 11	.. / 1 0 6	.. / ..	9 12 8 [4] / 17 0 11½	.. / 1 12 0	.. / 7 18 0
Total Receipts	106 19 1 / 76 14 1	54 3 11 / 24 3 9	149 5 11 / 130 12 2	52 1 7 / 56 12 1	52 19 10 / 52 1 0	438 3 9 / 358 3 11½	83 3 4 / 52 11 9	269 11 6 / 249 6 3
Total	724 13 4 / 78 15 4	68 9 2 / 9 18 6	753 12 11 / 145 9 5½	304 11 10 / 81 0 9	518 8 6 / 53 18 11	1,914 2 1½ / 358 6 6	674 14 11½ / 63 9 6	989 14 0 / 306 3 5
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	85 6 8 / ..	16 0 0 / ..	8 3 4 / ..	9 3 4 / ..	19 10 0 / ..	151 13 4 / ..	59 6 8 / ..	120 15 10 / ..
Medical attendance	.. / 33 18 0	.. / 10 0 0	.. / 69 9 7½	.. / 16 6 6	.. / 31 4 0	.. / 226 11 3	.. / 30 15 0	.. / 169 5 3
Funeral donations	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
District dues	9 12 5 / 9 9 6	5 14 1 / 2 18 6	16 10 5 / 14 10 6	8 0 10 / 6 8 0	5 18 9 / 4 17 3	52 19 8 / 45 11 8	8 0 11 / 7 11 0	35 10 0 / 30 5 6
Management	.. / 21 2 6	.. / 3 4 9	.. / 33 8 1	.. / 12 4 6	.. / 5 14 6	.. / 44 13 9	.. / 14 12 6	.. / 31 17 0
Other expenditure	0 4 1 [1] / 4 10 0	32 0 0 [3] / 0 1 6	1 13 4 [1] / 16 5 7	.. / 2 2 9	.. / 3 15 3	.. / 28 12 6	.. / 2 1 6	.. / 13 0 3
Total Expenditure	95 3 2 / 69 0 0	53 14 1 / 16 4 9	26 7 1 / 133 13 9½	17 4 2 / 37 1 9	25 8 9 / 45 11 0	204 13 0 / 345 9 2	67 7 7 / 55 0 0	156 5 10 / 244 8 0
Balance	629 10 2 / 9 15 4	14 15 1 / −6 6 3	727 5 10 / 11 15 8	287 7 8 / 43 19 0	492 19 9 / 8 7 11	1,709 9 1½ / 12 17 4	607 7 4½ / 8 9 6	833 8 2 / 61 15 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	590 0 0 / ..	.. / ..	727 5 10 / 11 15 8	240 0 0 / 30 0 0	450 0 0 / ..	1,709 9 1 / 5 13 10	592 11 4 / ..	831 5 3 / 60 0 0
Invested in halls	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
Invested, other freehold property	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
Cash not bearing interest	39 10 2 / 9 15 4	8 8 10 / −6 6 3	.. / ..	47 7 8 / 13 19 0	42 19 9 / 8 7 11	0 0 0½ / 7 3 6	14 16 c½ / 8 9 6	2 2 11 / 1 15 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	.. / ..	6 6 3 / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
Other funds possessed by branch	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..	.. / ..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.	At beginning of year. / At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	44 / 44	14 / 12	57 / 63	22 / 23	15 / 27	140 / 182	32 / 34	112 / 123
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	.. / ..	1 / ..	5 / 4	.. / ..	.. / ..	2 / 1	.. / ..	6 / 2
Not entitled to benefits { New	2 / 7	.. / 6	14 / 16	7 / 10	13 / 9	61 / 69	6 / 5	17 / 44
Total	46 / 51	15 / 18	76 / 83	29 / 33	28 / 36	203 / 252	38 / 39	135 / 169
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	7	6	21	10	9	76	6	54
Departures { By death	..	..	..	..	..	..	1, £20	1, £20
Departures { Otherwise	2	3	14	6	1	27	4	19
Number of members sick	9	1	7	4	2	33	5	16
Period of sickness	85 w. 2d.	58 w.	8 w. 1d.	9 w. 1 d.	19 w. 3 d.	151 w. 4 d.	98 w. 2 d.	170 w. 5 d.
Deaths of registered wives	..	..	..	..	..	1, £15	..	..

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.—[2] Amount received from District Relief Fund, £16 7s. 11d., and sick pay refunded by other tents, £9.—[3] Error in last year's balance-sheet.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other tents, £9. Error in previous year, 12s. 8d.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	58 Self Reliance. Geelong. 1866.		60 Moral Reform. Carlton. 1867.		61 Rose of Australia. Sulky Gully. 1867.		66 Royal Alfred. Ararat. 1867.		67 Nil Desperandum. Berwick. 1867.		68 Lancefield. Lancefield. 1868.		69 Speedwell. Eldorado. 1868.		70 Albion. Beechworth. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,979 16 4	18 9 0	1,395 12 11	6 8 5	52 0 5	0 15 2	232 12 8	5 2 11	143 16 4	19 7 7	554 9 11	−1 12 1	92 3 11½	3 19 8½	735 16 7	5 12 4
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	216 11 2	204 4 8	124 0 2	127 6 3	12 2 8	2 15 10	29 9 0	43 1 2	38 12 6	38 15 1	39 0 3	53 8 0	10 6 7	5 1 6	82 1 5	103 10 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 6 6	..	..	0 5 0	..	0 10 0	..	..	..	0 7 6	..	1 10 8	..	..	..	1 0 0
Interest	139 19 11	0 13 4	94 14 9	..	2 2 0	..	8 4 0	..	11 16 9	1 0 0	18 4 0	..	12 5 0	..	26 8 8	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	8 7 6	..	3 18 0	..	..	4 3 4[2]	..	..	0 1 0	..	0 15 11	..	..	..	3 8 0
Total Receipts	356 17 7	213 5 6	218 14 11	131 9 3	14 4 8	3 5 10	41 16 4	43 1 2	50 9 3	40 3 7	57 4 3	55 14 7	22 11 7	5 1 6	108 10 1	107 18 5
Total	2,336 13 11	231 14 6	1,614 7 10	137 17 8	66 5 1	4 1 0	274 9 0	48 4 1	194 5 7	59 11 2	611 14 2	54 2 6	114 15 6½	9 1 2½	844 6 8	113 10 9
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	227 19 2	..	95 6 8	..	7 6 8	..	10 6 8	..	1 0 0	..	53 11 5	..	16 0 0	..	65 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	134 0 2	..	89 0 9	..	1 0 0	..	21 15 6	..	23 7 6	..	41 5 0	..	..	..	71 0 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	33 2 1	32 16 0	23 1 7	18 4 0	1 10 8	1 9 0	0 12 9	9 1 2[3]	5 6 5	9 1 10	6 17 6	6 9 0	1 11 4	1 11 0	12 12 11	11 0 0
Management	..	40 5 0	..	25 4 6	..	1 15 11	..	11 7 3	..	10 10 6	..	11 17 5	..	2 7 6	..	25 1 0
Other expenditure	..	4 4 6	8 10 0[1]	3 10 0	..	..	..	5 14 3	..	1 1 0	..	1 7 3	..	..	..	7 18 0
Total Expenditure	261 1 3	211 5 8	126 18 3	135 19 3	8 17 4	4 4 11	10 19 5	47 18 2	6 6 5	44 0 10	60 8 11	60 18 8	17 11 4	3 18 6	78 2 11	114 19 6
Balance	2,075 12 8	20 8 10	1,487 9 7	1 18 5	57 7 9	−0 3 11	263 9 7	0 5 11	187 19 2	15 10 4	551 5 3	−6 16 2	97 4 2½	5 2 8½	766 3 9	−1 8 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	2,075 12 8	..	1,385 0 0	..	54 18 0	..	210 0 0	..	184 7 9	12 0 0	544 9 1	..	93 10 8	..	677 14 4	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	20 8 10	102 9 7	1 18 5	2 5 10	−0 3 11	46 9 7	0 5 11	3 11 5	3 10 4	..	−6 16 2	3 13 6½	5 2 8½	87 0 8	−1 8 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	0 3 11	..	..	..	..	..	6 16 2	..	..	..	1 8 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	141	149	83	82	6	6	15	18	23	24	35	32	7	8	41	49
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	24	12	9	9	..	2	4	4	5	3	1	3	1	..	9	9
Total	165	161	92	91	6	8	23	24	28	27	37	38	9	8	50	58
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	16		11		3		4		3		3		..		11	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		1, £20		..		..		..		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	20		12		1		2		4		2		1		2	
Number of members sick	28		8		2		2		1		10		3		13	
Period of sickness	294 w. 4 d.		95 w. 2 d.		7 w. 2 d.		10 w. 2 d.		1 w.		55 w. 1 d.		16 w.		137 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other tents.—[3] Including District Funeral Dues wrongly paid out of this fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	71 Hope of Echuca. Echuca. 1868.		73 Father Mathew. Sale. 1868.		74 Star of Peace. Maffra. 1868.		75 Fidelity. Preston. 1868.		77 Guiding Star. Avoca. 1868.		78 Undaunted. Collingwood. 1868.		79 Rose of Yan Yean. Morang. 1868.		80 Go Ahead. Brighton. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	698 17 0	22 8 7	409 5 7	3 8 8	316 7 0	9 1 3	573 4 5	18 0 5½	467 7 6	−4 17 10	1,040 6 9	21 3 4	426 12 4	−6 17 5	516 11 2	22 9 2
Receipts.																
Contributions	54 1 3	94 7 1	31 6 0	40 5 0	23 17 1	22 11 0	91 1 9	81 11 2	30 19 10	30 6 6	113 9 7	109 10 7	22 13 9	17 11 9	125 3 11	134 3 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 0 0	..	0 12 6	..	0 15 0	..	5 2 6	..	..	..	1 10 0	..	0 10 0	..	4 5 0
Interest	34 14 0	..	33 4 3	..	25 10 0	..	35 5 0	..	13 10 0	..	61 5 0	1 0 0	9 14 7	..	23 18 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	5 0 9	..	0 1 0	..	..	438 17 7½ [2]	189 16 6½	0 3 5 [3]	2 15 6	..	1 5 6	..	6 10 5	0 2 6 [4]	6 18 9
Total Receipts	88 15 3	102 7 10	64 10 3	40 18 6	49 7 1	23 6 0	565 4 4½	276 10 2½	44 13 3	33 2 0	174 14 7	113 6 1	32 8 4	24 12 2	149 4 8	145 7 0
Total	787 12 3	124 16 5	473 15 10	44 7 2	365 14 1	32 7 3	1,138 8 9½	294 10 8	512 0 9	28 4 2	1,215 1 4	134 9 5	459 0 8	17 14 9	665 15 10	167 16 2
Expenditure.																
Sick pay	4 10 0	..	53 0 0	..	1 0 0	..	15 6 8	..	70 3 4	..	29 13 4	..	7 0 0	..	33 1 8	..
Medical attendance	..	56 8 3	..	27 12 6	..	14 15 0	..	61 15 0	..	16 15 10	..	69 14 0	..	8 15 0	..	82 9 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	8 16 8	8 3 2	4 16 3	2 16 0	3 4 11	3 4 0	14 10 0	12 10 4	3 17 11	3 12 0	19 10 7	15 18 6	3 2 5	2 9 0	22 13 6	19 3 0
Management	..	16 9 1	..	10 8 0	..	1 6 6	..	39 6 7½	..	12 18 0	..	20 14 6	..	7 8 6	..	29 17 9
Other expenditure	11 0 0 [1]	11 14 6	..	1 2 3	5 15 0 [1]	4 18 6	..	14 1 0	..	1 9 0	3 1 0 [1]	4 10 0	12 6 1 [4]	2 18 4	..	8 4 9
Total Expenditure	24 6 8	92 15 0	57 16 3	41 18 9	9 19 11	24 4 0	29 16 8	127 12 11½	74 1 3	34 14 10	52 4 11	110 17 0	22 8 6	21 10 10	55 15 2	139 15 3
Balance	763 5 7	32 1 5	415 19 7	2 8 5	355 14 2	8 3 3	1,108 12 1½	166 17 8½	437 19 6	−6 10 8	1,162 16 5	23 12 5	436 12 2	−3 16 1	610 0 8	28 0 11
Disposal of Funds.																
Invested at interest	763 5 7	9 14 5	403 2 1	..	355 14 2	7 5 10	400 0 0	..	355 0 0	..	1,125 0 0	..	331 19 4	..	608 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65 0 0	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	687 15 0	166 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	22 7 0	12 17 6	2 8 5	..	0 17 5	20 17 1½	0 17 8½	76 8 10	−6 10 8	37 16 5	23 12 5	35 16 9	−3 16 1	2 0 8	28 0 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 10 8	..	..	..	3 16 1	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	21	18	18	17	14	15	42	53	20	16	66	68	9	11	59	67
Not entitled (Unfinancial)	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	7	3
to benefits (New)	7	19	2	2	3	4	20	28	1	..	6	12	3	4	16	24
Total	32	40	20	19	17	19	62	81	21	17	72	80	12	15	82	94
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.																
Admitted	21		2		4		31		..		19		4		28	
Departures (By death)	..		..		..		..		1, £20		..		..		..	
Departures (Otherwise)	13		3		2		12		3		11		1		16	
Number of members sick	2		2		1		4		10		7		2		10	
Period of sickness	4 w. 3 d.		53 w.		1 w.		15 w. 2 d.		70 w.		29 w. 4 d.		7 w.		47 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.—[2] Increase in value of property.—[3] Error in balance last year.—[4] Error in balance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	81 Havelock. Footscray. 1868.		85 Unity. Coburg. 1868.		88 Mount Pleasant. Ballarat. 1868.		89 Hope of Egerton. Egerton. 1868.		91 Never Fail. Cobden. 1868.		94 Lady Bay. Warrnambool. 1869.		95 Southern Cross. Koroit. 1869.		96 Gomer. Woodford. 1869.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 327 18 9	£ s. d. 13 11 4	£ s. d. 1,359 16 4	£ s. d. 16 4 0	£ s. d. 516 13 8	£ s. d. 6 16 4	£ s. d. 358 8 9	£ s. d. 31 19 5	£ s. d. 473 2 8	£ s. d. 0 6 11	£ s. d. 343 10 3	£ s. d. 2 3 6	£ s. d. 117 0 2	£ s. d. 3 17 4	£ s. d. 325 13 5	£ s. d. 5 9 4
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	164 18 4	161 6 1	115 5 7	107 9 0	79 11 6	89 16 0	86 5 0	107 0 6	29 19 0	44 1 0	35 17 4	30 0 0	21 2 11	28 16 3	53 3 3	50 4 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 10 5	3 0 0	..	2 2 6	..	1 12 6	..	1 5 0	..	0 5 0	..	0 7 6	..	0 12 6	..	..
Interest	16 5 0	..	..	..	22 9 6	0 9 0	26 3 10	5 3 3	24 4 0	..	15 0 0	..	5 10 7	..	16 18 5	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	4 15 9	..	4 18 6	..	1 8 6	36 8 10 [2]	7 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	0 3 6	..	4 7 0
Total Receipts	181 13 9	169 1 10	115 5 7	114 10 0	102 1 0	93 6 0	148 17 8	120 16 9	54 3 0	44 6 0	50 17 4	30 7 6	26 13 6	29 12 3	70 1 8	54 11 4
Total	509 12 6	182 13 2	1,475 1 11	130 14 0	618 14 8	100 2 4	507 6 5	152 16 2	527 5 8	44 12 11	394 7 7	32 11 0	143 13 8	33 9 7	395 15 1	60 0 8
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	206 10 0	..	93 6 8	..	41 0 0	..	61 13 4	..	13 0 0	..	69 6 8	..	10 3 4	..	58 3 0	..
Medical attendance	..	121 0 7	..	49 15 9	..	45 14 1	..	66 6 2	..	27 6 0	..	19 5 0	..	20 5 0	..	35 15 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	30 3 9	20 12 0	18 2 4	16 10 0	11 4 7	10 13 6	14 19 3	13 12 0	..	9 2 0 [4]	5 17 7	5 5 0	4 2 10	3 14 0	8 4 0	7 2 6
Management	..	30 7 6	..	23 6 10	..	16 15 4	..	14 16 0	..	7 4 0	..	6 13 0	..	4 18 0	..	9 2 0
Other expenditure	..	6 9 0	..	34 16 0	..	6 4 0	..	9 5 4	..	0 10 0	..	..	..	0 10 0	..	2 15 6
Total Expenditure	236 13 9	178 9 1	111 9 0	124 8 7	52 4 7	79 6 11	76 12 7	103 19 6	13 0 0	44 2 0	75 4 3	31 3 0	14 6 2	29 7 0	66 7 0	54 15 0
Balance	272 18 9	4 4 1	1,363 12 11	6 5 5	566 10 1	20 15 5	430 13 10	48 16 8	514 5 8	0 10 11	319 3 4	1 8 0	129 7 6	4 2 7	329 8 1	5 5 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	271 19 4	..	1,363 12 11	6 5 5	560 0 0	20 15 5	430 13 10	48 16 8	506 10 0	..	319 3 4	..	105 0 0	..	329 8 1	1 4 6
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	0 19 5	4 4 1	..	..	6 10 1	..	..	..	7 15 8	0 10 11	..	1 8 0	24 7 6	4 2 7	..	4 1 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	65	89	63	73	40	45	60	61	24	23	24	27	8	4	28	34
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	10	..	...	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	2
Not entitled to benefits { New	21	24	13	17	8	12	8	4	..	..	1	3	1	26	8	..
Total	96	113	76	90	50	58	69	65	24	23	26	30	9	30	39	36
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	31		22		13		7		..		5		29		..	
Departures { By death	1, £10 [1]		..		2, £40		1, £40 [3]		..		..		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	13		8		3		10		1		1		7		3	
Number of members sick	26		14		4		15		1		4		1		10	
Period of sickness	246 w. 2 d.		93 w. 2 d.		41 w.		100 w. 4 d.		52 w.		72 w. 5 d.		10 w. 1 d.		97 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] Half-benefit member.—[2] Error in previous balance-sheet, £32 3s. 2d.; and Sick pay refunded by other tents, £4 5s. 8d.—[3] Including £20 for 1887.—[4] Including District Funeral Dues wrongly paid out of this fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	97 Lilydale. Lilydale. 1869.		102 Ebenezer. Heathcote. 1869.		104 Hope of Australia. Harcourt. 1869.		108 Dawn of Day. Whittlesea. 1869.		111 Malmsbury. Malmsbury. 1869.		114 Hope of Stanley. Stanley. 1869.		117 Star of Blackwood. Blackwood. 1870.		118 Reformation.[5] Natte Yallock. 1870.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	120 12 10	8 4 4	104 10 3	-3 2 0	598 7 3	0 0 9	267 6 6	3 10 10	433 3 7	15 12 0	408 18 7	7 15 6	271 0 10	4 9 5	67 5 6	4 11 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	28 7 0	43 15 10	17 2 6	9 4 0	85 7 11	92 4 4	36 12 8	30 8 4	49 6 4	52 0 11	26 14 10	45 5 4	57 17 8	22 17 10	..	..
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 10 0	1 10 0	..	0 10 0	..	0 7 6	..	..	..	1 12 6	..	..	..	0 5 0	..	..
Interest	5 0 0	..	4 5 0	..	32 8 7	8 12 6	15 8 6	..	17 19 0	..	16 13 3	..	12 10 0	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 2 6	..	4 4 3	1 2 7[2]	3 6 2	..	2 9 6	5 0 0[4]	4 13 0	..	..	..	0 10 0	..	..
Total Receipts	33 17 0	45 8 4	21 7 6	13 18 3	118 19 1	104 10 6	52 1 2	32 17 10	72 5 4	58 6 5	43 8 1	45 5 4	70 7 8	23 12 10	..	..
Total	154 9 10	53 12 8	125 17 9	10 16 3	717 6 4	104 11 3	319 7 8	36 8 8	505 8 11	73 18 5	452 6 8	53 0 10	341 8 6	28 2 3	67 5 6	4 11 10
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	20 3 4	..	..	..	13 3 4	..	18 13 4	..	30 10 0	..	14 3 4	..	37 3 4	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	25 15 7	..	8 14 0	..	58 6 0	..	25 12 6	..	40 7 6	..	27 2 6	..	4 14 6	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	4 2 10	4 5 0	2 2 0	0 11 0	4 3 11	19 2 6	4 16 8	4 15 0	3 15 0	9 4 2	5 3 8	4 3 0	7 18 6	7 8 0	..	..
Management	..	10 5 6	..	0 6 0	..	26 0 7	..	2 1 0	..	7 10 11	..	15 15 1	..	14 3 10	..	..
Other expenditure	..	0 2 3	8 10 3[1]	2 0 0	..	6 9 7	..	1 15 6	..	3 7 3	..	..	..	2 2 6	67 5 6[5]	4 11 0[5]
Total Expenditure	24 6 2	40 8 4	10 12 3	11 11 0	17 7 3	109 18 8	23 10 0	34 4 0	34 5 0	60 9 10	19 7 0	47 0 7	45 1 10	28 8 10	67 5 6	4 11 0
Balance	130 3 8	13 4 4	115 5 6	-0 14 9	699 19 1	-5 7 5	295 17 8	2 4 8	471 3 11	13 8 7	432 19 8	6 0 3	296 6 8	-0 6 7	..	..
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	100 0 0	..	100 0 0	..	516 19 1	..	290 0 0	..	450 0 0	..	384 17 4	..	277 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	173 17 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	30 3 8	13 4 4	14 10 9	-0 14 9	3 15 2	-5 7 5	5 17 8	2 4 8	21 3 11	13 8 7	48 2 4	6 0 3	19 0 1	-0 6 7	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	0 14 9	..	5 7 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 6 7	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	16	20	5	6	63	62	23	23	24	28	17	16	31	35	3	..
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	2	2	..	..
to benefits { New	1	4	1	5	4	2	1	2	5	12	1	6	4	2	..	..
Total	17	24	6	11	67	64	24	25	30	41	18	23	37	39	3	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	7		5		2		3		12		6		2		..	
Departures { By death	..		..		2, £30[3]		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	..		..		3		2		1		1		..		3	
Number of members sick	4		..		4		3		5		6		6		..	
Period of sickness	39 w. 4 d.		..		17 w. 3 d.		18 w. 4 d.		30 w. 3 d.		14 w. 1 d.		76 w. 1 d.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		1, £15		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Part repayment of loan.—[3] One half-benefit member.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other tents.—[5] Tent closed, and balances transferred to District.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	119 Healesville. Healesville. 1870.		120 Dawn of Hope. Benalla. 1870.		127 Pride of the Yarra. Prahran. 1870.		129 Doncaster. Doncaster. 1870.		130 Box Hill. Box Hill. 1870.		131 St. Kilda. St. Kilda. 1870.		135 Excelsior. Nillumbik. 1870.		137 Laurel. Sandhurst. 1870.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	238 10 9	14 2 8	1,029 10 0	13 2 6	533 2 7	17 15 0	550 17 8	40 10 5	464 17 7	5 8 5	301 1 0	11 16 5	206 16 2	28 2 3	324 12 0½	£25 3 7
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	38 0 4	29 15 7	103 14 4½	113 5 10	141 16 3	153 0 2	64 4 2	51 11 3	55 9 3	59 8 7	70 11 10	100 8 6	40 1 10	37 16 7	196 12 10	200 15 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 10 0	..	2 5 0	..	2 10 0	..	0 5 0	..	3 10 0	..	2 8 0	..	0 15 0	..	2 17 6
Interest	10 12 3	..	47 4 1	..	24 7 4	..	25 9 3	0 16 0	25 10 0	..	38 7 4	2 7 8	..	..	17 6 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	4 8 11	..	5 4 2	..	4 4 0	..	0 0 6	4 8 6[1]	1 12 0	..	0 12 2	..	0 0 3	..	10 15 3
Total Receipts ..	48 12 7	34 14 6	150 18 5½	120 15 0	166 3 7	159 14 2	89 13 5	52 12 9	85 7 9	64 10 7	108 19 2	105 16 4	40 1 10	38 11 10	213 18 10	214 8 1
Total	287 3 4	48 17 2	1,180 8 5½	133 17 6	699 6 2	177 9 2	640 11 1	93 3 2	550 5 4	69 19 0	410 0 2	117 12 9	246 18 0	66 14 1	538 10 10½	239 11 8
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	7 10 0	..	77 13 4	..	55 16 8	..	50 13 10	..	27 16 8	..	42 16 8	..	17 0 0	..	139 6 8	..
Medical attendance	..	24 17 6	..	75 6 6	..	95 1 3	..	34 9 3	..	39 15 0	..	63 13 0	..	37 12 6	..	126 15 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	5 6 10	4 9 0	15 7 10	14 14 0	19 3 1	18 0 6	8 9 1	8 6 0	10 3 9	8 13 0	12 14 4	10 16 0	..	13 14 0[2]	31 0 6½	26 11 0
Management	..	8 8 0	..	32 12 6	..	30 9 6	..	9 1 6	..	17 18 9	..	21 9 11	..	9 10 0	..	39 15 6
Other expenditure	..	3 2 3	..	10 13 10	..	6 6 6	..	0 12 0	..	7 16 3	..	1 18 6	..	1 3 3	..	18 1 0
Total Expenditure ..	12 16 10	40 16 9	93 1 2	133 6 10	74 19 9	149 17 9	59 2 11	52 8 9	38 0 5	74 3 0	55 11 0	97 17 5	17 0 0	61 19 9	170 7 2½	211 2 6
Balance	274 6 6	8 0 5	1,087 7 3½	0 10 8	624 6 5	27 11 5	581 8 2	40 14 5	512 4 11	−4 4 0	354 9 2	19 15 4	229 18 0	4 14 4	368 3 8	28 9 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	271 18 3	..	677 10 3	..	615 6 7	..	562 14 11	39 4 5	475 0 0	..	334 9 2	14 2 10	200 0 0	..	368 3 8	17 4 0
Invested in halls	..	..	405 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	2 8 3	8 0 5	4 17 0½	0 10 8	8 19 10	27 11 5	18 13 3	1 10 0	33 0 11	−4 4 0	20 0 0	5 12 6	29 18 0	4 14 4	..	11 5 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 4 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	19	22	56	55	67	75	36	36	28	35	37	37	16	32	110	118
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	..	4	10	8	2	5	9	..	..	..	3	3	..	2	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	2	23	14	17	20	6	1	7	22	14	19	14	6	19	18
Total	26	24	83	79	92	97	47	46	35	57	51	59	33	38	131	139
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	2		14		23		1		22		19		6		18	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		3, £60		..		..		..		3, £60		..		1, £20	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	4		15		18		2		..		8		1		9	
Number of members sick ..	2		18		11		7		7		8		5		30	
Period of sickness	7 w.		77 w. 4 d.		55 w. 5 d.		50 w. 5 d.		27 w. 5 d.		42 w. 5 d.		17 w.		181 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.——[2] Including District Funeral Dues.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	138 On to Victory. Bung Bong. 1870.		140 Concord. Bacchus Marsh. 1870.		141 St. John's. Nunawading. 1870.		143 Mitchell. Bairnsdale. 1870.		144 Hope of Kilmore. Kilmore. 1870.		145 Star of Wallan. Wallan Wallan. 1870.		146 Hope of Flemington. Hotham Hill. 1871.		147 Royal. Norwood. 1871.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	169 16 0	6 8 4	249 5 8	20 3 7½	167 9 11	10 0 11	465 10 8	0 18 1	475 14 8	0 10 11	197 7 11	−1 13 11	249 0 1	10 3 4	768 18 11	5 18 7
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	19 16 10	18 2 10	29 7 4	23 18 9	17 18 4	12 12 9	111 17 4	138 10 4	23 5 2	24 12 10	21 12 10	19 5 3	53 9 11	57 0 0	56 3 7	52 9 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	..	0 12 6	..	..	..	1 10 0	..	0 2 6	..	0 5 0	..	1 2 6	..	..
Interest	..	..	8 2 2	1 9 7	8 12 8	0 7 4	41 8 0	..	31 17 0	..	6 2 4	..	9 6 1	..	38 3 9	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	0 0 11½ [1]	0 5 6	..	..	..	5 0 4	..	..	..	0 1 0	..	4 6 2	..	1 8 2
Total Receipts	19 16 10	18 2 10	37 10 5½	26 6 4	26 11 0	13 0 1	153 5 4	145 0 8	55 2 2	24 15 4	27 15 2	19 11 3	62 16 0	62 8 8	94 7 4	53 17 11
Total	189 12 10	24 11 2	286 16 1½	46 9 11½	194 0 11	23 1 0	618 16 0	145 18 9	530 16 10	25 6 3	225 3 1	17 17 4	311 16 1	72 12 0	863 6 3	59 16 6
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	7 3 4	..	3 0 0	..	7 10 0	..	43 0 0	..	20 0 0	..	1 13 4	..	..	..	2 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	13 3 4	..	13 7 6	..	8 2 9	..	81 13 0	..	11 5 9	..	7 10 0	..	41 14 3	..	43 1 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	3 12 8	3 0 0	4 4 8	3 17 0	2 0 6	1 18 0	19 19 0	17 8 6	3 3 1	2 12 6	2 13 2	2 12 0	0 10 1	6 16 4	8 2 4	5 16 0
Management	..	4 0 6	..	11 14 6	..	1 11 6	..	28 11 0	..	7 12 4	..	6 17 10	..	11 9 10	..	8 3 6
Other expenditure	..	0 10 7	..	1 10 6	0 0 2 [1]	..	..	17 11 11	..	0 10 0	..	0 16 6	..	0 1 6	..	1 8 0
Total Expenditure	10 16 0	20 14 5	7 4 8	30 9 6	9 10 8	11 12 3	62 19 0	145 4 5	23 3 1	22 0 7	4 6 6	17 16 4	8 10 1	60 1 11	10 19 0	58 8 6
Balance	178 16 10	3 16 9	279 11 5½	16 0 5½	184 10 3	11 8 9	555 17 0	0 14 4	507 13 9	3 5 8	220 16 7	0 1 0	303 6 0	12 10 1	852 7 3	1 8 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	154 5 0	..	237 14 11	..	160 0 0	10 0 0	465 0 0	..	430 10 0	..	116 4 10	..	298 6 0	..	465 16 8	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	75 0 0	..	..	10 0 0	191 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	125 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	24 11 10	3 16 9	41 16 6½	16 0 5½	24 10 3	1 8 9	90 17 0	0 14 4	77 3 9	3 5 8	29 11 9	0 1 0	5 0 0	2 10 1	70 10 7	1 8 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	14	15	9	12	11	9	74	75	15	15	14	10	26	31	38	38
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	6	2	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	1	..	1	3	..	..	15	10	4	..	3	2	10	5	1	2
Total	15	15	16	17	11	9	92	85	19	17	17	12	36	37	39	40
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	..		6		1		11		..		2		6		2	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		1, £20		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	..		5		3		17		2		7		5		1	
Number of members sick	1		1		3		11		1		1		..		2	
Period of sickness	7 w. 1 d.		3 w.		7 w. 3 d.		43 w.		20 w.		1 w. 4 d.		..		2 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	~~148~~ Fern Tree. Scoresby. 1871.		~~151~~ Social. Frankston. 1871.		~~152~~ Hope of Murchison. Murchison. 1871.		~~156~~ Matthew Burnett. Kerang. 1871.		~~164~~ Salem. Cranbourne. 1871.		165 Hope of Dandenong. Dandenong. 1871.		166 Sutton. Long Gully. 1871.		167 Palm Branch. Mulgrave. 1871.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	168 2 4	4 13 8	65 16 4	5 11 7	212 4 11	1 10 4	118 16 9	3 13 11	27 4 6½	20 3 1	420 6 5	11 17 8	134 10 8	3 13 11	200 6 5	2 13 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	27 11 1	31 16 7	12 19 8	11 2 11	11 1 0	7 7 4	28 2 7	45 5 5	20 16 3	21 3 6	84 13 10	73 8 6	94 4 2	93 12 4	30 0 4	36 11 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 10 0	..	2 2 6	..	..	..	0 7 6	..	0 5 0	..	..	..	1 2 6	..	2 8 9
Interest	6 18 0	..	2 14 8	0 5 11	8 12 0	..	3 10 0	..	0 18 9	0 15 8	24 0 6	..	4 18 7	..	6 6 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	1 9 0	..	..	..	0 4 0	..	0 11 0	..	2 3 1	1 15 8[2]	..	..	2 6 6
Total Receipts	34 9 1	32 6 7	15 14 4	15 0 4	19 13 0	7 7 4	31 12 7	45 16 11	21 15 0	22 15 2	108 14 4	75 11 7	100 18 5	94 14 10	36 6 7	41 6 3
Total	202 11 5	37 0 3	81 10 8	20 11 11	231 17 11	8 17 8	150 9 4	49 10 10	48 19 6½	42 18 3	529 0 9	87 9 3	235 9 1	98 8 9	236 13 0	43 19 3
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	0 10 0	..	..	..	18 6 0	..	17 0 0	..	13 0 0	..	24 6 8	..	68 13 4	..	15 4 0	..
Medical attendance	..	19 13 9	..	..	..	..	..	30 1 0	..	14 17 0	..	50 15 0	..	57 0 0	..	25 10 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	5 1 5	4 7 6	1 5 0	1 2 0	1 15 10	1 16 0	5 6 3	3 15 6	3 12 4	2 14 0	11 3 6	11 16 0	13 14 2	12 8 6	4 12 3	4 13 0
Management	..	6 2 6	..	3 19 6	..	6 14 9	..	4 17 0	..	6 9 5	..	16 9 6	..	17 9 2	..	5 19 3
Other expenditure	..	2 15 6	5 16 7[1]	6 11 2	..	0 5 0	..	1 9 9	..	..	..	2 17 6	..	10 17 0	..	4 3 3
Total Expenditure	5 11 5	32 19 3	7 1 7	11 12 8	20 1 10	8 15 9	22 6 3	40 3 3	16 12 4	24 0 5	35 10 2	81 18 0	82 7 6	97 14 8	19 16 3	40 5 6
Balance	197 0 0	4 1 0	74 9 1	8 19 3	211 16 1	0 1 11	128 3 1	9 7 7	32 7 2½	18 17 10	493 10 7	5 11 3	153 1 7	0 14 1	216 16 9	3 13 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	169 4 0	..	73 11 9	..	200 0 0	..	100 0 0	..	32 7 2	15 12 10	481 5 10	..	[illegible] 10	..	205 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	27 16 0	4 1 0	0 17 4	8 19 3	11 16	0 1 11	28 3 1	9 7 7	0 0 0½	3 5 0	12 4 9	5 11 3	8 7 9	0 14 1	11 16 9	3 13 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	18	20	5	5	9	9	13	14	8	14	48	47	49	57	15	18
Not entitled { Unfinancial	..	..	2	3	..	..	1	4	2	..	1	2	..	1	3	..
to benefits { New	3	4	1	..	..	..	9	1	6	2	9	4	11	9	3	9
Total	21	24	8	8	9	9	23	19	16	16	58	53	60	67	21	27
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	4		..		..		2		2		5		10		9	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		1, £20		1, £10[3]	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		..		6		2		10		2		2	
Number of members sick	1		..		2		1		2		6		15		5	
Period of sickness	1 w.		..		18 w. 3 d.		17 w.		13 w.		24 w. 2 d.		68 w. 4 d.		18 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] Loss through defalcations of previous treasurer.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other tents.—[3] Half-benefit member.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	169 Hope of Greensborough. Greensborough. 1871.		172 Rising Sun. Coghill's Creek. 1871.		174 Zion's Hill. Heidelberg. 1871.		177 Star of Mornington. Mornington. 1872.		183 Ark of Safety. Euroa. 1872.		185 Star of the Wimmera. Horsham. 1872.		186 Bon Accord. Mitta Mitta. 1872.		188 Flower of the Forest. Bullarook. 1872.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 358 8 8	£ s. d. 3 1 0½	£ s. d. 156 13 11	£ s. d. −2 2 9	£ s. d. 306 14 3½	£ s. d. 2 5 11½	£ s. d. 263 15 6	£ s. d. 2 7 5	£ s. d. 384 15 11	£ s. d. 4 8 0	£ s. d. 396 18 11	£ s. d. 12 3 8	£ s. d. 51 12 7	£ s. d. 4 17 8	£ s. d. 333 17 2	£ s. d. 4 1 4
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	17 0 9	12 9 9	20 8 0	10 12 0	16 15 4	13 13 2	34 4 4	51 8 4	21 10 10	35 9 3	72 11 10	91 14 9	9 19 7	3 18 8	31 9 3	25 3 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 5 0	..	0 2 6	..	..	..	2 0 0	0 14 10	0 2 6	..	..	..	0 7 6	..	0 5 0
Interest	16 17 2	..	6 2 6	..	13 11 1	..	13 0 0	..	..	..	14 7 10	10 9 2	2 0 9	..	12 10 1	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 9 3	..	1 1 0	..	0 14 6	..	1 11 0	..	0 7 0	..	..	..	..	..	0 0 6
Total receipts	33 17 11	13 4 0	26 10 6	11 15 6	30 6 5	14 7 8	47 4 4	54 19 4	22 5 8	35 18 9	86 19 8	102 3 11	12 0 4	4 6 2	43 19 4	25 8 9
Total	392 6 7	16 5 0½	183 4 5	9 12 9	337 0 8½	16 13 7½	310 19 10	57 6 9	407 1 7	40 6 9	483 18 7	114 7 7	63 12 11	9 3 10	377 16 6	29 10 1
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	..	..	6 0 0	..	10 0 0	..	44 14 3	..	..	..	19 17 0	..	2 0 0	..	14 5 8	..
Medical attendance	..	7 3 9	..	5 11 3	..	8 13 3	..	44 17 0	..	23 19 6	..	45 16 6	..	..	..	15 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues [1]	2 6 8	2 8 0	3 3 11	3 3 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	5 11 2	5 12 0	3 19 5	3 13 0	14 12 5	8 18 6	..	2 16 5 [2]	5 7 11	4 6 6
Management	..	2 18 6	..	3 9 0	..	4 11 4	..	9 13 1	..	6 7 9	..	26 12 2	..	0 9 0	..	5 19 0
Other expenditure	..	0 8 3	5 5 6 [1]	0 16 9	..	0 14 6	..	2 13 0	..	6 6 6	..	4 18 11	..	..	..	1 2 9
Total expenditure	2 6 8	12 18 6	14 9 5	13 0 0	12 10 0	16 10 1	50 5 5	62 15 1	3 19 5	40 6 9	34 9 5	86 6 1	2 0 0	3 5 5	19 13 7	26 13 3
Balance	389 19 11	3 6 6½	168 15 0	−3 7 3	324 10 8½	0 3 6½	260 14 5	−5 8 4	403 2 2	..	449 9 2	28 1 6	61 12 11	5 18 5	358 2 11	2 16 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	369 10 5	..	162 2 9	..	284 13 5	..	255 6 1	..	114 16 0	..	449 9 2	28 1 6	53 0 9	..	354 17 11	..
Invested in hails	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	254 5 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	20 9 6	3 6 6½	3 5 0	−3 7 3	39 17 3½	0 3 6½	..	−5 8 4	34 0 4	..	..	..	8 12 2	5 18 5	3 5 0	2 16 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	3 7 3	..	..	..	5 8 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	10	12	16	15	11	10	18	24	20	15	47	47	6	6	22	22
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	1	..	..	1	2	..	7	8	1	1	8	13	..	1	5	2
Total	11	12	16	16	15	12	27	32	21	18	55	60	6	7	27	24
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted		1		1		..		9		2		21		2		2
Departures — By death		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		1, £20
Departures — Otherwise		..		1		3		4		5		16		1		4
Number of members sick		..		1		2		5		..		5		1		2
Period of sickness		..		6 w.		10 w.		44 w. 5 d.		..		20 w.		2 w.		14 w. 2 d.
Deaths of registered wives		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in previous balance-sheet.—[2] Including District Funeral Dues.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	189 North Fitzroy. North Fitzroy. 1872.		195 Hope of Eltham. Eltham. 1873.		197 Mount Franklin. Hepburn. 1873.		203 Hope of Violet Town. Violet Town. 1874.		204 Alexandra. Alexandra. 1874.		207 Good Result. Shepparton. 1875.		217 Star of Northcote. Northcote. 1876.		218. Providence. Yea. 1876.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 552 9 10	£ s. d. 5 13 11	£ s. d. 218 3 1	£ s. d. 16 6 11	£ s. d. 304 0 7½	£ s. d. 1 1 10	£ s. d. 51 8 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0	£ s. d. 369 17 1½	£ s. d. 5 0 7½	£ s. d. 114 15 8	£ s. d. 1 18 11	£ s. d. 246 18 0½	£ s. d. 27 12 9	£ s. d. 104 13 1	£ s. d. 1 16 6
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	134 8 2	131 19 11	40 8 11	40 8 10	34 16 2½	22 12 8	17 3 10	23 4 3	31 13 5	39 14 4	25 12 6	35 1 2	72 12 3	72 16 9	28 8 6	13 14 1
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 5 0	..	..	..	0 17 6	..	1 17 6	..	..	..	1 7 6	..	2 15 0	0 11 2	0 15 0
Interest	46 11 7	..	8 1 0	0 15 0	12 12 0	..	0 12 0	..	6 15 0	..	3 17 4	..	11 11 0	1 5 0	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	8 5 0	..	1 1 6	..	0 1 0	..	0 7 0	0 2 0[2]	..	..	3 14 9	..	2 14 7	..	1 13 9
Total Receipts	180 19 9	142 9 11	48 9 11	42 5 4	47 8 2½	23 11 2	17 15 10	25 8 9	38 10 5	39 14 4	29 9 10	40 3 5	84 3 3	79 11 4	28 19 8	16 2 10
Total	733 9 7	148 3 10	266 13 0	58 12 3	351 8 10	24 13 0	69 3 10	30 8 9	408 7 6½	44 14 11½	144 5 6	42 2 4	331 1 3½	107 4 1	133 12 9	17 19 4
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	18 6 8	..	..	..	20 3 4	..	24 7 2	..	18 0 0	..	25 0 0	..	9 10 0	..	11 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	83 10 5	..	26 12 6	..	9 12 0	..	24 7 6	..	29 0 6	..	24 1 3	..	51 15 0	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	26 12 2	18 13 6	5 6 6	5 4 0	4 12 7	4 16 6	3 7 6	1 17 0	6 3 2	2 7 4	6 13 6	3 11 0	10 12 5	10 0 0	4 17 1	4 7 0
Management	..	32 17 8	..	8 19 6	..	8 2 6	..	7 2 3	..	14 5 0	..	7 7 0	..	14 3 5	..	8 4 0
Other expenditure	..	6 1 9	..	2 1 6	..	1 1 0	2 10 0[1]	1 18 3	..	..	..	7 17 11	..	5 13 10½	..	1 18 2
Total Expenditure	44 18 10	141 3 4	5 6 6	42 17 6	24 15 11	23 12 0	30 4 8	35 5 0	24 3 2	45 12 10	31 13 6	42 17 2	20 2 5	81 12 3½	15 17 1	14 9 2
Balance	688 10 9	7 0 6	261 6 6	15 14 9	326 12 11	1 1 0	38 19 2	−4 16 3	384 4 4½	−0 17 10½	112 12 0	−0 14 10	310 18 10½	25 11 9½	117 15 8	3 10 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	688 6 0	..	236 0 0	14 0 0	317 0 0	..	..	..	275 0 0	..	99 1 9	..	246 15 0	24 5 0	117 15 8	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	0 4 9	7 0 6	25 6 6	1 14 9	9 12 11	1 1 0	34 2 11	−4 16 3	108 6 6	−0 17 10½	12 15 5	−0 14 10	64 3 10½	1 6 9½	..	3 10 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 16 3	..	0 17 10½	..	0 14 10	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	55	80	23	24	21	23	1	9	24	22	10	3	34	35	13	18
Not entitled { Unfinancial	5	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	4	..	..	5	1
to benefits { New	20	21	2	2	3	3	9	4	4	2	3	11	9	20	4	2
Total	80	101	26	27	24	26	10	14	28	24	14	18	43	55	22	21
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	26		2		3		4		2		11		22		2	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	5		1		1		6		6		7		10		3	
Number of members sick	6		..		2		2		5		1		3		7	
Period of sickness	15 w. 2 d.		..		20 w. 1 d.		24 w. 3 d.		18 w.		25 w.		9 w. 3 d.		16 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay advanced for other tents.—[2] Error in balance.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	220 Test of Avenel. Avenel. 1876.		227 Hope of Landsborough. Landsborough. 1877.		234 Dawn of Hope. Portland. 1877.		235 Traralgon. Traralgon. 1877.		236 Star of Warracknabeal. Warracknabeal. 1877.		237 Fryers. Fryerstown. 1878.		239 Never Surrender. Harrietville. 1878.		241 Hope of Bethanga. Bethanga. 1879.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	43 16 6½	47 8 1½	..	..	99 0 9	—1 0 2	61 10 3	0 17 1	115 19 10	..	217 12 3	0 11 1	128 2 10¾	—1 16 11¾	40 12 9	—3 7 11½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	62 19 0	89 8 9	30 15 11	26 11 2	47 3 7	42 15 4	16 17 7	16 2 4	24 4 9	79 14 10	23 14 4	19 16 6	18 9 8	26 2 9	45 11 4	17 16 7
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 2 6	..	..	0 1 0	1 12 6	..	0 9 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 2 6
Interest	4 11 6	2 11 6	..	..	5 16 9	..	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	..	12 7 7	..	5 17 5	..	1 4 10	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	9 8 9	22 7 2[1]	..	..	3 8 1	..	1 2 0	..	..	..	..	..	0 7 0	..	0 7 6
Total Receipts ..	67 10 6	103 11 6	53 3 1	26 11 2	53 1 4	47 15 11	18 17 7	19 14 3	26 4 9	79 14 10	36 1 11	19 16 6	24 7 1	26 9 9	46 16 2	18 6 7
Total	111 7 0½	150 19 7½	53 3 1	26 11 2	152 2 1	46 15 9	80 7 10	20 11 4	142 4 7	79 14 10	253 14 2	20 7 7	152 9 11¾	24 12 9¼	87 8 11	14 18 7½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	26 10 0	..	48 9 0	..	10 0 0	..	16 6 8	..	5 0 0	..	22 6 8	..	16 13 4	..	38 6 8	..
Medical attendance	..	80 0 6	..	13 13 0	..	30 0 0	..	14 4 0	..	45 0 0	..	11 6 0	..	18 11 6	..	1 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	8 19 5	7 16 4	4 2 5	3 19 0	7 19 0	6 1 0	4 0 6	1 14 0	7 3 9	6 5 0	3 5 10	2 19 0	2 14 0	2 11 6	7 3 6	6 8 0
Management	..	7 7 0	..	7 15 3	..	8 2 8	..	5 0 0	..	13 3 11	..	5 6 10	..	3 5 8	..	3 3 7
Other expenditure	..	17 5 0	..	0 12 2	..	0 17 3	..	0 11 6	..	15 5 11	..	..	..	0 19 0	..	3 6 2
Total Expenditure ..	35 9 5	112 8 10	52 11 5	25 19 5	17 19 0	45 0 11	20 7 2	21 9 6	12 3 9	79 14 10	25 12 6	19 11 10	19 7 4	25 7 8	45 10 2	14 2 9
Balance	75 17 7½	38 10 9½	0 11 8	0 11 9	134 3 1	1 14 10	60 0 8	—0 18 2	130 0 10	..	228 1 8	0 15 9	133 2 7¾	—0 14 10¾	41 18 9	0 15 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	25 0 0	35 0 0	..	..	127 4 4	..	50 0 0	..	110 0 0	..	221 3 7	..	111 0 7	..	41 18 9	..
Invested in halls	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	0 17 7½	3 10 9½	0 11 8	0 11 9	6 18 9	1 14 10	9 2 6	—0 18 2	20 0 10	..	6 18 1	0 15 9	21 7 2	—0 14 10¾	..	0 15 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 18 2	..	..	..	..	..	0 14 10¾	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	30	32	17	17	22	26	10	10	11	20	15	14	11	11	22	27
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	1	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	1
Not entitled to benefits { New	20	4	2	1	4	8	..	1	24	16	..	..	..	3	8	6
Total	52	36	20	18	28	34	10	12	36	40	15	14	11	14	30	34
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	4		1		8		2		16		..		3		6	
Departures .. { By death ..	1, £20		—		..		..		..		1, £20		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	19		3		2		..		12		..		..		..	
Number of members sick ..	9		2		6		2		3		3		3		8	
Period of sickness	26 w. 3 d.		31 w. 4 d.		10 w.		16 w. 2 d.		5 w.		22 w. 2 d.		16 w. 4 d.		38 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance

[1] From District Relief Fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	242 Mount Rouse. Penshurst. 1879.		245 Kangerong. Dromana. 1879.		246 Hope of Wandin. Wandin Yalloak. 1879.		251 Rose of Tatura.[1] Tatura. 1881.		251 Rose of Kyabram.[1] Kyabram. 1888.		254 Mordialloc. Mordialloc. 1881.		255 Numurkah. Numurkah. 1882.		260 Star of Kew. Kew. 1882.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	175 10 4	16 19 9	348 19 6	31 2 1	172 7 10	3 8 6	9 1 6	−2 19 9	..	..	136 7 1	0 1 11	188 2 6	9 1 0	165 7 9	5 9 2
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	39 19 0	51 17 8	57 14 6	41 5 0	64 14 6½	59 11 8	..	..	..	0 3 9	43 16 1	39 14 7	74 10 0	112 6 6	61 3 2	70 7 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 12 9	0 15 0	..	0 10 0	..	1 10 6	..	..	..	5 15 6	..	0 17 6	..	..	..	2 2 6
Interest	8 13 9	0 12 0	27 18 11	4 15 9	7 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	7 1 10	..	5 3 4	..	7 9 4	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 19 9	..	2 8 8	..	2 2 9	..	3 1 9	..	2 17 0	..	2 12 6	..	1 6 3	..	6 12 0
Total Receipts ..	50 5 6	54 4 5	85 13 5	48 19 5	72 12 6½	63 4 11	..	3 1 9	..	8 16 3	50 17 11	43 4 7	79 13 4	115 15 3	68 12 6	79 2 3
Total	225 15 10	71 4 2	434 12 11	80 1 6	245 0 4½	66 13 5	9 1 6	0 2 0	..	8 16 3	187 5 0	43 6 6	267 15 10	124 16 3	234 0 3	84 11 5
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	23 10 0	..	18 10 0	..	4 16 8	..	..	..	..	..	2 10 0	..	14 10 0	..	11 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	37 16 0	..	25 11 6	..	33 1 3	..	..	..	..	..	28 7 0	..	74 9 4	..	47 9 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	5 5 2	5 7 0	7 14 2	7 15 0	7 19 10	7 17 0	0 4 0	0 2 0	..	..	6 2 8	5 17 0	11 13 2	9 12 0	10 9 6	9 7 0
Management	..	11 6 0	..	19 19 9	..	9 10 8	..	..	..	0 16 10	..	5 9 0	..	27 1 2	..	13 12 1
Other expenditure	..	1 10 3	..	1 15 0	..	4 13 0	8 17 6[2]	..	..	0 12 6	..	3 12 0	..	5 4 6	..	13 1 10
Total Expenditure ..	28 15 2	55 19 3	26 4 2	55 1 3	12 16 6	55 1 11	9 1 6	0 2 0	..	1 9 4	8 12 8	43 5 0	26 3 2	116 7 0	22 6 2	83 10 2
Balance	197 0 8	15 4 11	408 8 9	25 0 3	232 3 10½	11 11 6	..	..	..	7 6 11	178 12 4	0 1 6	241 12 8	8 9 3	211 14 1	1 1 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	175 14 11	13 0 0	402 19 5	25 0 3	170 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	175 0 0	..	198 8 0	..	205 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	21 5 9	2 4 11	5 9 4	..	62 3 10½	11 11 6	..	..	..	7 6 11	3 12 4	0 1 6	43 4 8	8 9 3	6 14 1	1 1 3
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	25	24	41	34	37	31	4	..	..	..	23	27	34	44	38	38
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	2	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	4	2	3	1	7	..	..	..	2	4	5	15	7	7	14
Total	28	30	43	39	39	39	4	..	..	2	29	32	52	51	45	52
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	5		3		7		..		2		5		10		14	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	3		7		7		4		..		2		11		7	
Number of members sick ..	10		6		2		..		2		2		4		3	
Period of sickness	23 w. 3 d.		18 w. 3d.		4 w. 5 d.		..		..		2 w. 3 d.		14 w. 3 d.		11 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] The Rose of Tatura, No. 251, was closed during the year 1888, and the Rose of Kyabram, No. 251, opened in its place.——[2] £2 15s. of this amount was transferred to the new tent, "Rose of Kyabram."

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	264 Essendon. Moonee Ponds. 1883.		267 Hope of Warragul.[1] Warragul. 1883.		269 Albert Park. Albert Park. 1884.		271 Youanmite. Youanmite. 1885.		272 Blue Ribbon. Boort. 1885.		274 Hope of Ringwood. Ringwood. 1885.		275 Esperanza. Pakenham. 1885.		276 Gordon. Cudgewa.[1] 1886.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 123 12 9	£ s. d. 0 15 3	£ s. d. 22 13 5	£ s. d. 1 13 5	£ s. d. 31 12 11	£ s. d. 9 12 8	£ s. d. 33 6 1	£ s. d. 10 1 4	£ s. d. 9 10 2½	£ s. d. 0 16 3½	£ s. d. 2 7 6	£ s. d. 19 15 0	£ s. d. 19 6 6	£ s. d. 4 12 3	£ s. d. 11 13 3	£ s. d. 37 7 2
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	86 11 6	81 19 10	22 9 4	42 16 9	44 3 8½	54 0 6	17 18 7	29 3 4	21 18 3	48 17 1	32 9 1	28 7 9	12 3 0	4 4 10	21 18 2	60 6 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 10 0	..	..	..	0 17 6	..	8 15 10	..	1 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	6 5 0
Interest	4 18 10	..	..	..	1 19 5	0 11 8½	1 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 11 3	..	..	..	1 13 0	..	0 19 3	..	1 7 6	13 0 11[2]	..	..	..	..	7 18 6
Total Receipts	91 10 4	90 1 1	22 9 4	42 16 9	46 3 1½	57 2 8½	18 18 7	38 18 5	21 18 3	51 14 7	45 10 0	28 7 9	12 3 0	4 4 10	21 18 2	74 9 10
Total	215 3 1	90 16 4	45 2 9	44 10 2	77 16 0½	66 15 4½	52 4 8	48 19 9	31 8 5½	52 10 10½	47 17 6	48 2 9	31 9 6	8 17 1	33 11 5	111 17 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	18 13 4	..	5 0 0	..	21 0 10	..	10 0 9	..	8 12 6	..	4 0 0	..	2 0 0	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	39 1 0	..	25 10 0	..	39 3 10	..	26 11 11	..	37 12 6	..	16 5 6	..	..	..	54 4 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	12 16 5	11 0 0	5 16 6	4 3 0	8 11 1	6 6 0	3 13 7	3 1 0	3 16 10	3 11 8	5 14 7	3 10 0	1 12 6	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 4 0
Management	..	19 13 0	..	10 10 5	..	10 14 6	..	7 16 10	..	5 15 0	..	1 2 0	..	1 0 8	..	19 10 4
Other expenditure	..	3 10 0	..	2 5 9	..	7 8 6	..	5 18 8	..	1 11 0	..	24 2 5	..	..	..	21 12 6
Total Expenditure	31 9 9	73 4 0	10 16 6	42 9 2	29 11 11	63 12 10	13 14 4	43 8 5	12 9 4	48 10 2	9 14 7	44 19 11	3 12 6	2 13 8	1 13 0	96 11 3
Balance	183 13 4	17 12 4	34 6 3	2 1 0	48 4 1½	3 2 6½	38 10 4	5 11 4	18 19 1½	4 0 8½	38 2 11	3 2 10	27 17 0	6 3 5	31 18 5	15 5 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	166 0 0	..	15 0 0	..	29 2 5	..	21 0 0	..	..	..	33 0 0	..	25 0 0	5 0 0	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	17 13 4	17 12 4	19 6 3	2 1 0	19 1 8½	3 2 6½	17 10 4	5 11 4	18 19 1½	4 0 8½	5 2 11	3 2 10	2 17 0	1 3 5	31 18 5	15 5 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	36	59	16	10	21	30	9	10	13	24	9	13	6	8	7	5
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	1	..	5	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	3	..	4	5
Not entitled to benefits { New	11	2	1	5	9	7	7	2	13	1	5	8	2	..	3	3
Total	47	62	17	20	30	37	19	14	26	27	14	22	11	8	14	13
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	20		5		10		2		2		8		..		4	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	5		2		3		7		1		..		3		5	
Number of members sick	6		1		3		3		3		2		1		..	
Period of sickness	18 w. 4 d.		5 w.		58 w. 1 d.		10 w.		10 w. 2 d.		4 w.		2 w.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] This tent was closed in 1884 and re-opened in 1886.—[2] Transferred from Incidental Fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	277 Hope of Walhalla. Walhalla. 1886.		278 Hope of Camberwell. Camberwell. 1886.		279 Star of the South. Port Albert. 1886.		280 Corris. Kensington. 1886.		281 Hope of Oakleigh. Oakleigh. 1886.		282 Malvern. Malvern. 1886.		283 Hope of the Forest. Trentham. 1886.		284 Star of Drouin. Drouin. 1886.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	24 1 11	0 1 4	29 2 9	12 12 3	22 18 10	2 7 0	..	31 5 9	19 3 2	14 14 0	17 19 11	12 12 10	15 15 5	3 14 2	16 3 5½	11 7 9
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	33 4 9	35 18 8	54 10 0	61 4 11	18 9 7	27 4 3	41 7 5	90 19 4	35 16 11	42 9 2	64 19 1	69 9 9	56 0 8½	49 1 7½	40 17 4	26 6 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 0 0	..	1 17 6	..	0 15 0	..	3 7 6	..	2 12 6	..	6 7 6	..	4 10 0	..	1 0 0
Interest	..	..	0 7 0	..	..	..	..	0 2 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 1 6	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 17 0	..	5 8 3	..	0 0 3	21 1 3[2]	1 1 0	..	4 15 9	..	10 6 6	..	24 6 4½	..	11 0 3
Total Receipts ..	33 4 9	44 15 8	54 17 0	68 10 8	18 9 7	27 19 6	62 8 8	95 9 11	35 16 11	49 17 5	64 19 1	86 3 9	56 0 8½	77 18 0	40 18 10	38 6 3
Total	57 6 8	44 17 0	83 19 9	81 2 11	41 8 5	30 6 6	62 8 8	126 15 8	55 0 1	64 11 5	82 19 0	98 16 7	71 16 1½	81 12 2	57 2 3½	49 14 0
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	4 19 8	..	13 10 0	..	..	..	13 10 0	..	10 0 0	..	3 0 0	..	7 3 4	..	2 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	24 13 2	..	33 6 9	..	21 10 0	..	59 6 0	..	23 8 0	..	42 9 0	..	28 6 9	..	22 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	7 3 0	4 6 10	7 16 4	8 2 0	3 17 8	2 19 0	10 11 0	10 7 6	5 18 5	5 6 1	13 8 4	9 18 0	8 3 2	7 0 9½	7 5 5	5 5 0
Management	..	14 13 2	..	18 7 10	..	5 12 6	..	20 7 7	..	6 15 0	..	19 4 0	..	11 7 6	..	15 5 1
Other expenditure	..	3 5 2	..	5 18 3	8 15 11[1]	0 3 0	..	36 8 5	..	2 6 6	..	15 7 0	..	17 4 1½	..	2 13 0
Total Expenditure ..	12 2 8	46 18 4	21 6 4	65 14 10	12 13 7	30 4 6	24 1 0	126 9 6	15 18 5	37 15 7	16 8 4	86 18 0	15 6 6	63 19 2	9 5 5	45 3 1
Balance	45 4 0	−2 1 4	62 13 5	15 18 1	28 14 10	0 2 0	38 7 8	0 6 2	39 1 8	26 15 10	66 10 8	11 18 7	56 9 7½	17 13 0	47 16 10½	4 10 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	..	..	62 10 0	..	28 14 0	..	38 7 8	..	30 0 0	26 0 0	66 10 8	11 18 7	56 9 7½	3 10 4½	45 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	43 2 8	−2 1 4	0 3 5	15 18 1	0 0 10	0 2 0	..	0 6 2	9 1 8	0 15 10	..	..	..	14 2 7½	2 16 10½	4 10 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	2 1 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits	6	10	17	29	15	11	17	40	11	21	22	37	14	23	14	20
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	2	3	1	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Not entitled to benefits { New	13	8	16	13	3	1	28	23	10	14	12	26	12	26	13	3
Total	21	21	34	43	19	15	45	63	21	35	34	63	26	49	27	24
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	9		16		1		26		14		34		27		3	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		1, £20		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	9		7		5		8		4		4		4		6	
Number of members sick ..	3		6		..		2		3		2		2		1	
Period of sickness	5 w.		13 w. 3 d.		..		13 w. 3 d.		10 w.		3 w.		7 w. 1 d.		2 w.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Transferred from Incidental Fund.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	285 Prince Leopold. Casterton. 1887.		286 Jubilee. Wunghnu. 1887.		287 Rose of Seymour. Seymour. 1887.		288 Try Again.[2] Tungamah. 1887.		289 Border. Yarrawonga. 1887.		292 Corio. Geelong West. 1887.		293 Safeguard. Balaclava. 1887.		294 Advance. Nurrabiel. 1887.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	1 7 4	..	..	..	0 12 10	..	4 8 3	..	7 13 7	..	2 11 1	..	..	..	2 8 5
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	21 4 11	26 4 9	14 4 5	30 3 7	28 15 0	20 0 6	..	..	11 3 8	18 5 1	14 12 11	29 10 9	..	47 17 0	11 15 2	15 2 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 2 6	..	1 10 0	..	1 0 0	..	..	..	3 0 0	..	2 2 6	..	3 12 2	..	1 2 6
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 0 0	..	7 17 7	..	22 7 3	2 12 10	..	..	2 0 2	..	4 0 3	..	1 9 0	..	3 18 6
Total Receipts	21 4 11	29 7 3	14 4 5	39 11 2	28 15 0	43 7 9	2 12 10	..	11 3 8	23 5 3	14 12 11	35 13 6	..	52 18 2	11 15 2	20 3 3
Total	21 4 11	30 14 7	14 4 5	39 11 2	28 15 0	44 0 7	2 12 10	4 8 3	11 3 8	30 18 10	14 12 11	38 4 7	..	52 18 2	11 15 2	22 11 8
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	8 18 4	..	25 10 0	..	26 11 3	..	..	..	17 10 0	..	12 7 0	..	16 8 5	..	13 9 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	4 19 4	2 9 10	3 2 2	4 11 9	7 4 3	5 16 6	2 12 10	2 0 0	0 14 11	5 14 2	1 0 10	5 16 5	..	6 14 11[3]	1 18 6	1 11 0
Management	..	9 13 1	..	11 5 6	..	7 0 0	..	..	..	3 7 6	..	10 10 8	..	6 4 10	..	4 16 0
Other expenditure	..	7 1 2	3 13 4[1]	3 5 0	21 10 9[1]	1 15 6	..	2 8 3[2]	..	2 12 8	..	4 14 0	..	1 16 0	3 17 6[4]	0 14 9
Total Expenditure	4 19 4	28 2 5	6 15 6	44 12 3	28 15 0	41 3 3	2 12 10	4 8 3	0 14 11	29 4 4	1 0 10	33 8 1	..	31 4 2	5 16 0	20 11 6
Balance	16 5 7	2 12 2	7 8 11	−5 1 1	..	2 17 4	..	..	10 8 9	1 14 6	13 12 1	4 16 6	..	21 14 0	5 19 2	2 0 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13 12 1	..	..	13 0 0	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	16 5 7	2 12 2	2 7 10	−5 1 1	..	2 17 4	..	..	10 8 9	1 14 6	..	4 16 6	..	8 14 0	5 19 2	2 0 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	5 1 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	3	9	..	9	..	8	1	..	..	3	1	6	..	3	2	7
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Not entitled to benefits { New	9	3	8	7	13	7	15	..	18	12	6	11	9	18	8	3
Total	12	12	8	16	13	15	16	..	18	15	7	17	9	21	10	11
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted		4		10		10		..		12		13		19		3
Departures { By death		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..
Departures { Otherwise		4		2		8		16		15		3		7		2
Number of members sick		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		1
Period of sickness		..		..		..		..				..		..		..
Deaths of registered wives		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance

[1] Transferred to Incidental Fund in agreement with the Rules.—[2] Tent closed; balance transferred to District.—[3] Including District Funeral Dues.—[4] Transferred to Incidental Fund under the Society's rules.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

	295 Hope of our Island. Cowes. 1887.		296 Pride of Bullarto. Bullarto. 1887.		297 Hope of Devenish.[3] Devenish. 1887.		298 Hope of Elsternwick. Elsternwick. 1887.		299 Clifton Hill. Clifton Hill. 1887.		300 Burnley. Burnley. 1888.		301 Star of Chiltern. Chiltern. 1888.		302 Star of Avon. Donald. 1888.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	2 14 0	..	2 12 6	..	3 5 6	..	2 13 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Receipts.																
Contributions	2 12 6	12 7 2	..	31 5 0	..	..	27 6 3	37 12 11	30 14 2	38 12 2	..	12 4 8	..	18 0 2½	..	40 0 10
Special levies	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 15 0	..	1 5 0	..	..	..	4 18 3	..	1 5 0	..	3 12 6	..	..	..	7 12 6
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	3 17 11[1]	2 3 4	2 0 0[1]	1 18 5	1 1 6[1]	..	..	3 8 4	..	1 12 0	..	5 7 9	..	0 4 0	..	2 13 0
Total Receipts	6 10 5	18 5 6	2 0 0	34 8 5	1 1 6	..	27 6 3	45 19 6	30 14 2	41 9 2	..	21 4 11	..	18 4 2½	..	50 6 4
Total	6 10 5	20 19 6	2 0 0	37 0 11	1 1 6	3 5 6	27 6 3	48 12 8	30 14 2	41 9 2	..	21 4 11	..	18 4 2½	..	50 6 4
Expenditure.																
Sick pay	..	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	10 5 0	..	..	..	23 3 6	..	23 0 10	..	3 19 7	..	7 10 0	..	9 8 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	1 2 0	2 11 6	..	7 18 10[2]	1 1 6	1 1 0	7 0 1	4 11 0	7 9 8	4 14 2	..	1 12 2	..	..	..	0 15 10
Management	..	9 12 7	..	16 1 8	..	..	..	5 11 4	..	9 17 2	..	9 0 9	..	3 12 6	..	9 14 8
Other expenditure	..	6 8 8	..	2 15 5	..	2 4 6[3]	..	3 7 6	..	0 19 4	..	5 0 9	..	0 6 0	..	10 4 6
Total Expenditure	1 2 0	18 12 9	2 0 0	37 0 11	1 1 6	3 5 6	7 0 1	36 13 4	7 9 8	38 11 6	..	19 13 3	..	11 8 6	..	30 3 4
Balance	5 8 5	2 6 9	..	..	..	..	20 6 2	11 19 4	23 4 6	2 17 8	..	1 11 8	..	6 15 8½	..	20 3 0
Disposal of Funds.																
Invested at interest	5 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	20 0 0	..	23 4 6	0 9 6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	0 8 5	2 6 9	..	..	..	..	0 6 2	11 19 4	..	2 8 2	..	1 11 8	..	6 15 8½	..	20 3 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	1	7	3	9	..	..	..	12	1	21	..	3	..	..	..	2
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	8	..	20	22	11	..	10	17	21	11	..	8	..	9	..	15
Total	9	9	23	31	11	..	10	30	22	32	..	11	..	9	..	17
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.																
Admitted	..		28		..		23		15		12		9		27	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	..		20		11		3		5		1		..		10	
Number of members sick	..		1		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	..		2 w.		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Transferred from the Incidental Fund.—[2] Including District Funeral Dues.—[3] Tent closed; funds transferred to District.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	303 Centennial. Rochester. 1888.		304 Pride of Myrtleford. Myrtleford. 1888.		305 Pride of Nathalia. Nathalia. 1888.		307 Hope of Yarraville. Yarraville. 1888.		Total of Tent Funds.		District Funds.		The whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	75,792 5 3¾	1,660 16 6¾	10,947 1 10	..	86,739 7 1¾	1,660 16 6¾
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	..	..	..	15 7 4	..	11 1 7	..	..	11,164 6 7	12,128 12 3	..	..	11,164 6 7	12,128 12 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	..	1 17 6	..	4 5 0	..	..	7 5 2	260 12 10	..	..	7 5 2	260 12 10
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,983 0 0	78 3 1½	689 0 0	..	4,672 0 0	78 3 1½
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,787 18 8½	1,659 19 11½	1,787 18 8½	1,659 19 11½
Other receipts	..	..	..	1 5 6	..	2 14 9	..	..	770 0 0	754 17 10	65 1 3½[1]	553 3 5½	835 1 3½	1,308 1 3½
Total Receipts	..	..	..	18 10 4	..	18 1 4	..	..	15,924 11 9	13,222 6 0½	2,542 0 0	2,213 3 5	18,466 11 9	15,435 9 5½
Total	..	..	..	18 10 4	..	18 1 4	..	..	91,716 17 0¾	14,883 2 7¼	13,489 1 10	2,213 3 5	105,205 18 10¾	17,096 6 0¼
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,198 13 5	..	..	..	7,198 13 5	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	5 17 6	..	6 0 0	..	..	..	7,791 6 10½	..	..	..	7,791 6 10½
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,300 0 0	..	1,300 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	1 5 1	..	..	1,787 18 8½	1,659 19 11½	..	..	1,787 18 8½	1,659 19 11½
Management	..	..	..	0 4 6	..	7 17 0	..	..	..	2,773 17 11½	..	1,408 8 2	..	4,182 6 1½
Other expenditure	..	..	..	8 16 6	..	1 11 6	..	..	818 6 6½	892 9 5	..	761 9 8[3]	818 6 6½	1,653 19 1
Total Expenditure	..	..	..	14 18 6	..	16 13 7	..	..	9,804 18 8	13,117 14 2½	1,300 0 0	2,169 17 10	11,104 18 8	15,287 12 0½
Balance	..	..	..	3 11 10	..	1 7 9	..	..	81,911 18 4¾	1,765 8 4¾	12,189 1 10	43 5 7	94,101 0 2¾	1,808 13 11¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	73,932 9 2½	947 3 8½	11,893 0 0	..	85,825 9 2½	947 3 8½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,285 10 10	46 15 6	..	..	4,285 10 10	46 15 6
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	900 15 0	166 0 0	..	..	900 15 0	166 0 0
Cash not bearing interest	..	..	..	3 11 10	..	1 7 9	..	..	2,660 2 0½	605 9 2¼	296 1 10	43 5 7	2,956 3 10½	648 14 9¼
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	133 1 3¾	..	..	..	133 1 3¾	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	508 9 5[2]	1,361 16 7[4]	508 9 5[2]	1,361 16 7[4]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,195	6,826
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	194	169
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	4	..	11	..	13	..	14	..	..	..	..	1,452	1,587
Total	..	4	..	11	..	16	..	14	..	..	..	..	7,841	8,582
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted		4		11		16		14		..		..		1,843[5]
Departures { By death		..		..		..		..		..		..		61, £1,180
Departures { Otherwise		..		..		..		..		..		..		1,041[6]
Number of members sick		..		..		..		..		..		..		1,182
Period of sickness		..		..		..		..		..		..		9,132 w. 3 d.
Deaths of registered wives		..		..		..		..		..		..		8, £120

[1] Difference between statements of tents and District as to District Dues.—[2] To the credit of the Female Branch Funeral Fund.—[3] Including £304 18s. 11d. debit balance at end of 1887.—[4] To the credit of the District Relief Fund, £855 18. 9d., and the District Benevolent Fund, £506 14s. 10d.—[5] Two hundred and thirty-two of these were admitted by clearance.—[6] Two hundred and three of these left by clearance.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

BALLARAT AND SANDHURST GRAND DIVISION.

	1 Pioneer. Scarsdale. 1866.		2 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1867.		3 Royal Diadem. Sandhurst. 1868.		4 Rising Sun. Clunes. 1868.		5 Mountain Pride. Castlemaine. 1869.		6 Excelsior. Creswick. 1869.		7 Hope of Talbot. Talbot. 1869.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	351 16 10	9 9 1½	84 6 5½	89 14 11	391 5 0	−6 16 2	66 15 4½	1 17 7¼	828 13 8	2 8 1	158 11 10	20 3 11	170 19 7	−12 19 10
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	30 10 4	34 6 7	115 7 3	135 11 8	66 18 4	76 5 7	6 10 5	6 6 6½	54 7 9	45 18 11	29 17 3	23 7 2	50 11 4	55 8 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 3 6	1 18 0	0 13 0	0 5 0	1 0 0	..	..	4 1 0	..	..	5 10 0	..	0 16 6
Interest	12 14 0	2 8 6[1]	12 18 0	..	21 9 9	..	1 14 6	..	42 9 4	..	8 2 0	0 15 0	22 18 11	..
Grand Division dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	5 0 0[2]	0 18 3	..	0 15 0	..	..	..	0 9 6	..	..	..	7 6 6
Total Receipts ..	43 4 4	36 18 7	135 3 3	137 2 11	88 13 1	78 0 7	8 4 11	6 6 6½	100 18 1	46 8 5	37 19 3	29 12 2	73 10 3	63 11 10
Total	395 1 2	46 7 8½	219 9 8½	226 17 10	479 18 1	71 4 5	75 0 3¼	8 4 1¾	929 11 9	48 16 6	196 11 1	49 16 1	244 9 10	50 12 0
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	52 0 8	..	107 19 4	..	35 6 4	..	13 10 0	..	25 0 0	..	18 11 6	..	34 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	22 11 0	..	67 12 5	..	34 3 6	..	4 12 1	..	20 5 0	..	14 12 6	..	31 4 10
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues ..	3 19 0	3 10 6	29 12 9	29 0 9	19 1 6	15 5 0	1 15 0	1 5 0	14 7 0	10 10 0	11 19 3	9 17 3	13 14 10	10 5 6
Management	..	8 10 11	..	34 19 8	..	23 10 4	..	0 12 6	..	16 18 6	..	7 17 6	..	10 19 9
Other expenditure	..	..	..	7 11 3	..	0 2 6	..	..	..	..	..	0 4 0	..	0 11 9
Total Expenditure ..	55 19 8	34 12 5	137 12 1	139 4 1	54 7 10	73 1 4	15 5 0	6 9 7	39 7 0	47 13 6	30 10 9	32 11 3	48 8 2	53 1 10
Balance	339 1 6	11 15 3½	81 17 7½	87 13 9	425 10 3	−1 16 11	59 15 3¼	1 14 6¾	890 4 9	1 3 0	166 0 4	17 4 10	196 1 8	−2 9 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	230 1 3	..	81 17 7½	78 2 6	412 9 11	..	59 4 4	..	862 4 0	..	160 0 0	10 0 0	175 5 2	..
Invested in halls	100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	9 0 3	11 15 3½	..	9 11 3	11 3 5	−1 16 11	0 10 11¼	1 14 6¾	28 0 9	1 3 0	6 0 4	7 4 10	18 6 8	−2 9 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	1 16 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 9 10	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	23	22	82	85	61	29	4	3	35	34	16	18	29	19
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	1	..	10	6	..	12	1	..	..	..	2	..	4	7
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	1	9	7	4	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2
Total	24	23	101	98	65	48	5	3	35	34	18	18	36	28
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	1		8		8		..		..		..		2	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		2, £40		1, £20		..		1[3]		..		2, £40	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	2		9		24		2		..		..		8	
Number of members sick ..	5		17		8		2		5		6		5	
Period of sickness	90 w. 2 d.		142 w. 3 d.		53 w. 1 d.		13 w. 3 d.		25 w.		18 w. 4 d.		38 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		1, £10		1, £10		..		1, £10		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Rent of hall credited to wrong fund.——[2] Refund of loan.——[3] Funeral donation not yet

BALLARAT AND SANDHURST GRAND DIVISION—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	8 Hope of Sandhurst. Sandhurst. 1870.		9 Pride of Daylesford. Daylesford. 1871.		10 Hope of St. Arnaud. St. Arnaud. 1874.		11 Charlton. Charlton. 1876.		12 Anchor. Castlemaine. 1870.		13 Princess Beatrice. Eaglehawk. 1885.		14 Lady Loch. Golden Square. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	198 19 4	4 8 1	22 10 9	−2 6 11	31 7 11½	−7 3 8	−1 11 3½	10 16 6½	62 14 6	21 13 2	18 19 3	8 12 5	25 5 10	−1 17 1
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	121 15 2	129 19 6	22 13 7	23 15 7	9 16 9	6 19 0	9 10 4	16 12 6	23 1 8	19 17 10	22 14 2	18 13 2	21 1 2	25 10 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 13 9	1 0 0	0 2 6	..	..	..	..	..	1 1 3	..	0 11 3	..	0 5 0
Interest	6 13 3	..	..	..	1 14 0	..	..	..	2 10 4	0 12 5	1 11 7	..	..	..
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	5 2 4	..	0 2 2	..	8 19 11	15 0 0[2]	..	..	0 19 0	..	1 10 9	..	3 18 9
Total Receipts	128 8 5	136 15 7	23 13 7	24 0 3	11 10 9	15 18 11	24 10 4	16 12 6	25 12 0	22 10 6	24 5 9	20 15 2	21 1 2	29 14 6
Total	327 7 9	141 3 8	46 4 4	21 13 4	42 18 8½	8 15 3	22 19 0½	27 9 0½	88 6 6	44 3 8	43 5 0	29 7 7	46 7 0	27 17 5
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	72 7 6	..	13 0 0	..	6 6 8	..	20 8 0	..	6 10 0	..	15 8 1	..	3 5 0	..
Medical attendance	..	87 5 10	..	12 13 0	..	6 17 6	..	12 0 0	..	9 17 6	..	7 10 0	..	19 8 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues	25 13 9	25 13 9	5 8 6	4 11 6	1 16 0	1 4 0	2 1 6	2 9 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 19 0	5 2 0	3 16 6	3 16 6
Management	..	22 4 4	..	5 13 6	..	..	..	1 5 6	..	5 18 6	..	2 15 0	..	6 12 0
Other expenditure	..	5 12 0	..	..	8 19 11[1]	..	..	..	..	0 13 0	..	2 14 6	..	3 19 9
Total Expenditure	98 1 3	140 15 11	18 8 6	22 18 0	17 2 7	8 1 6	22 9 6	15 15 0	11 15 0	21 14 0	19 7 1	18 1 6	7 1 6	33 16 3
Balance	229 6 6	0 7 9	27 15 10	−1 4 8	25 16 1½	0 13 9	0 9 6½	11 14 0½	76 11 6	22 9 8	23 17 11	11 6 1	39 5 6	−5 18 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	229 6 6	..	..	..	20 0 0	..	..	..	70 13 6	..	23 17 11	..	28 11 3	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	0 7 9	26 11 2	−1 4 8	5 16 1½	0 13 9	0 9 6½	11 14 0½	5 18 0	22 9 8	..	11 6 1	4 15 5	−5 18 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	1 4 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 18 10	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	121	121	14	15	4	4	5	6	25	19	26	16	21	21
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	34	22	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	11	..	10	8	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	31	23	..	..	..	..	2	..	6	17	11	10	11	4
Total	186	166	14	15	5	4	7	6	35	47	37	36	40	31
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	23		1		..		..		17		10		5	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	43		..		1		1		5		11		14	
Number of members sick	23		4		1		2		4		9		3	
Period of sickness	157 w. 5 d.		13 w.		6 w. 2 d.		67 w.		13 w.		30 w. 3 d.		6 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Transferred to Incidental Fund in previous years.—[2] Amount received from the Grand Division to assist the Division.

BALLARAT AND SANDHURST GRAND DIVISION—continued.

	15 On to Victory. Maryborough. 1886.		16 Star of Maryborough. Maryborough. 1886.		17 Loving Workers. Talbot. 1887.		18 Centennial. Bowenvale. 1888.		Total of Division Funds.		Grand Division Funds.		Total of Ballarat and Sandhurst Grand Division.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 13 19 10	£ s. d. 4 0 11½	£ s. d. 19 15 11½	£ s. d. 0 19 6	£ s. d. 4 17 5½	£ s. d. 1 2 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 2,449 8 3¾	£ s. d. 144 2 8¾	£ s. d. 1,217 16 1	£ s. d. −77 3 7	£ s. d. 3,667 4 4¾	£ s. d. 66 19 1¾
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	16 12 1	16 6 3	18 6 11	19 17 11	7 7 10	10 3 8	0 7 0	1 11 8	627 9 4	666 13 1½	..	..	627 9 4	666 13 1½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 5 0	..	0 18 1	..	0 7 6	..	..	7 4 0	14 7 4	..	..	7 4 0	14 7 4
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	134 15 8	3 15 11	42 19 4	..	177 15 0	3 15 11
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	156 13 1	143 12 6	156 13 1	143 12 6
Other receipts	..	0 9 2	..	7 1 2	..	2 2 1	..	0 8 0	20 0 0	40 2 7	16 4 6[2]	39 5 1	36 4 6	79 7 8
Total Receipts	16 12 1	18 0 5	18 6 11	27 17 2	7 7 10	12 13 3	0 7 0	1 19 8	789 9 0	724 18 11½	215 16 11	182 17 7	1,005 5 11	907 16 6½
Total	30 11 11	22 1 4½	38 2 10½	28 16 8	12 5 3½	13 15 4	0 7 0	1 19 8	3,238 17 3¾	869 1 8¼	1,433 13 0	105 14 0	4,672 10 3¾	974 15 8¼
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	10 6 8	..	10 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	444 18 1	..	..	..	444 18 1	..
Medical attendance	..	8 6 0	..	14 5 0	..	6 10 0	..	..	..	379 14 2	..	..	..	379 14 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	130 0 0	..	130 0 0	..
Grand Division dues	4 8 6	5 8 9	7 11 6	8 1 3	2 3 6	2 6 3	..	..	156 13 1	143 12 6	..	..	156 13 1	143 12 6
Management	..	8 0 0	..	4 11 9	..	3 0 6	..	..	..	163 10 3	..	112 6 6	..	275 16 9
Other expenditure	..	0 3 6	..	..	..	1 9 9	..	..	8 19 11	23 2 0	97 12 6[3]	41 7 0[4]	106 12 5	64 9 0
Total Expenditure	14 15 2	21 18 3	17 16 6	26 18 0	2 3 6	13 6 6	..	..	610 11 1	709 18 11	227 12 6	153 13 6	838 3 7	863 12 5
Balance	15 16 9	0 3 1½	20 6 4½	1 18 8	10 1 9½	0 8 10	0 7 0	1 19 8	2,628 6 2¾	159 2 9¼	1,206 0 6	−47 19 6	3,834 6 8¾	111 3 3¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	14 0 0	..	7 10 0	..	..	..	2,375 1 5½	88 2 6	1,038 16 4	..	3,413 17 9½	88 2 6
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	15 16 9	0 3 1½	6 6 4½	1 18 8	2 11 9½	0 8 10	0 7 0	1 19 8	141 14 6¼	71 0 3¼	119 4 8	−47 19 6	260 19 2¼	23 0 9¼
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11 10 3	..	47 19 6	..	59 9 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	10	6	21	12	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	497	436
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	4	..	8	9	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	74	90
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	8	14	16	12	6	..	4	..	..	..	..	105	105
Total	12	18	35	36	21	16	..	4	..	..	..	..	676	631
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	10		16		6		4		..		..		111[5]	
Departures { By death	..		1[1]		..		..		..		..		7, £100	
Departures { Otherwise	4		14		11		..		..		..		149[6]	
Number of members sick	1		4		..		..		..		..		95	
Period of sickness	10 w. 2 d.		20 w. 4 d.		..		..		..		..		686 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		3, £30	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation not paid.—[2] Difference in statements of Divisions and Grand Division as to Grand Division dues.—[3] Including £82 12s. 6d. dues to National Division Funeral Fund.—[4] Including £15 10s., dues to National Division Incidental Fund.—[5] Five of these were admitted by clearance.—[6] Fourteen of these left by clearance.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

MELBOURNE GRAND DIVISION.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Excelsior. Richmond. 1865.		2 Rising Star. Fitzroy. 1866.		3 Melbourne. Melbourne. 1866.		4 Star of Moorabbin. Cheltenham. 1868.		5 Bloom Hill. Brighton. 1868.		6 Malvern. Malvern. 1868.		7 Williamstown. Williamstown. 1871.		8 Phœnix. Collingwood. 1872.		9 South Melbourne. South Melbourne. 1873.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	889 13 6¼	9 15 10¼	277 5 6½	15 16 3¼	264 11 7½	5 18 5½	301 18 8	18 5 5	212 3 6	..	310 8 9	−3 8 10½	131 8 6½	−42 13 4½	332 11 8½	−1 11 6½	160 7 1	1 17 11
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	99 5 3½	136 1 11	55 8 0½	55 0 5	53 12 9½	65 7 0	30 0 9½	27 1 11½	22 13 5	23 12 1	30 19 10	28 8 7	46 3 10	74 1 0	106 15 7	141 5 5	64 19 7½	85 1 0½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 0 0	0 11 0	0 13 6	..	0 17 6	..	..	..	0 2 6	..	0 10 0	0 5 0	2 10 0	..	5 2 6	..	2 17 0
Interest	56 14 0	..	13 11 7	0 17 6	11 15 6	0 7 6	2 8 0	..	..	..	28 1 8	..	11 13 4	..	16 0 0	..	21 12 5	0 5 5
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	9 4 9	..	5 3 9	..	8 10 2	..	0 13 6	..	2 8 3	..	3 10 8	..	3 5 9	10 0 0[3]	4 2 5	..	12 5 7
Total Receipts	155 19 3½	148 6 8	69 10 7½	61 15 2	65 8 3½	75 2 2	32 8 9½	27 15 5½	22 13 5	26 2 10	59 1 6	32 9 3	58 2 2	79 16 9	132 15 7	150 10 4	86 12 0½	100 9 0½
Total	1,045 12 9¾	158 2 6¼	346 16 2	77 11 5¼	329 19 11	81 0 7½	334 7 5½	46 0 10½	234 16 11	26 2 10	369 10 3	29 0 4½	189 10 8½	37 3 4½	465 7 3½	148 18 9½	246 19 1½	102 6 11½
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	36 2 2	..	23 18 10	..	46 14 5	..	14 6 8	..	5 0 0	..	2 3 4	..	24 16 8	..	34 0 2	..	26 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	103 17 6	...	23 6 9	..	40 10 9	..	22 12 6	..	19 16 0	..	20 14 10½	..	36 10 4	..	81 5 6	..	60 16 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues	19 15 3	13 3 6	12 17 3	8 11 6	10 10 9	7 0 6	6 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 3	2 15 6	5 8 0	3 12 0	9 0 0	7 9 0	22 16 9	15 12 0	15 15 0	10 10 0
Management	..	19 2 6	..	23 4 6	..	16 16 6	..	10 10 0	..	10 14 10	..	6 10 0	..	6 16 6	..	29 16 5	..	16 18 10
Other expenditure	..	9 11 11	..	3 11 9	..	5 8 0	..	1 14 11	26 13 4[2]	2 12 11	..	1 12 4½	..	1 5 5	..	2 18 9	..	7 16 7
Total Expenditure	55 17 5	145 15 5	36 16 1	58 14 6	57 5 2	69 15 9	20 6 8	38 17 5	35 16 7	35 19 3	7 11 4	32 9 3	33 16 8	52 1 3	56 16 11	129 12 8	42 8 4	96 1 11
Balance	989 15 4¾	12 7 1¼	310 0 1	18 16 11¼	272 14 9	11 4 10½	314 0 9½	7 3 5½	199 0 4	−9 16 5	361 18 11	−3 8 10½	155 14 0½	−14 17 10½	408 10 4½	19 6 1½	204 10 9½	6 5 0½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	850 0 0	..	271 9 1	..	248 0 6	7 17 6	275 0 0	..	150 0 0	..	328 3 10	..	102 14 9	..	400 0 0	..	151 6 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	139 15 4¾	12 7 1¼	38 11 0	18 16 11¼	24 14 3	3 7 4½	39 0 9½	7 3 5½	39 3 11	−9 16 5	30 6 2½	−3 8 10½	38 1 5	−14 17 10½	8 10 4½	19 6 1½	53 4 9½	6 5 0½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 16 5	..	3 8 10½	..	14 17 10½	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	58	59	40	37	33	46	21	19	16	16	17	17	28	34	57	72	58	59
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	15	19	9	3	10	2	1[6]	1	7	4	..	..	1	..	27	3	..	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	8	24	1	4	10	7	..	..	2	..	..	4	7	19	19	42	17	17
Total	81	102	50	44	53	55	22	20	25	20	17	21	36	53	103	117	75	79
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	24		5		7		..		1		4		21		42		23	
Departures { By death	..		1, £20		1, £10[1]		..		1[2]		..		2, £30		1, £10		..	
Departures { Otherwise	3		10		4		2		5		..		2		27		19	
Number of members sick	9		8		12		4		3		2		6		15		8	
Period of sickness	83 w. 5 d.		28 w. 4 d.		108 w. 4 d.		14 w. 2 d.		5 w.		2 w. 1 d.		24 w. 5 d.		63 w. 5 d.		41 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		1, £10		2, £20		1[2]		..		..		1, £20[4]		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

Half-benefit member.—[2] Funeral donations paid but not received from Grand Division.—[3] Funeral donation for previous year.—[4] Including £10 for 1887.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

MELBOURNE GRAND DIVISION—continued.

	10 Broadford. Broadford. 1874.		11 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1875.		12 Our Future Hope. Essendon. 1876.		13 Carlton. Carlton. 1876.		14 City. Melbourne. 1880.		15 Franklin. West Melbourne. 1882.		16 General Gordon. Footscray. 1885.		17 John Gough. Prahran. 1886.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	25 18 3	2 11 6	494 1 11	26 5 1½	192 13 11	6 12 0	281 10 4	6 15 11	313 18 0½	11 6 5½	192 19 7½	32 12 1½	41 19 8½	0 4 2	93 17 0	12 6 4½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	24 3 11	31 19 4	93 18 1½	113 1 0	42 19 11½	48 3 2	87 7 4½	104 6 7	108 3 10	129 9 10	75 12 0½	85 6 10½	42 14 7	73 2 5½	46 17 5	62 10 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 15 0	..	1 16 0	..	0 10 0	0 6 0	3 14 6	0 3 0	4 1 0	0 12 0	0 7 6	0 5 0	1 12 0	..	2 4 6
Interest	0 10 0	..	26 11 8	..	7 10 0	..	13 10 0	..	19 12 2	1 3 0	8 13 10	..	0 15 0	..	..	..
Grand Division dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	7 10 7½[1]	1 15 0	..	10 19 3	..	15 15 0	..	7 7 9	..	11 7 0	..	8 7 9	..	7 17 3	..	5 7 0
Total Receipts ..	32 4 6½	35 9 4	120 9 9½	125 16 3	50 9 11½	64 8 2	101 3 4½	115 8 10	127 19 0	146 0 10	84 17 10½	94 2 1½	43 14 7	82 11 8½	46 17 5	70 1 6
Total	58 2 9½	38 0 10	614 11 8½	152 1 4½	243 3 10½	71 0 2	382 13 8½	122 4 9	441 17 0½	157 7 3½	277 17 6	126 14 3	85 14 3½	82 15 10½	140 14 5	82 7 10½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	6 6 8	..	73 12 6	..	16 0 10	..	21 6 3	..	37 19 2	..	28 1 8	..	30 18 4	..	44 13 2	..
Medical attendance	..	19 14 3	..	81 10 9	..	42 2 0	..	55 18 0	..	71 17 6	..	56 10 9	..	47 0 2	..	29 8 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues ..	6 15 0	4 10 0	20 15 6	13 17 0	7 16 0	5 4 0	20 16 3	13 17 6	21 13 6	14 9 0	16 8 6	10 19 0	12 14 3	8 13 6	5 10 3	3 13 6
Management	..	4 8 5	..	27 14 1	..	13 6 5	..	33 6 0	..	29 11 0	..	19 11 11	..	13 17 9	..	15 9 1
Other expenditure	..	8 1 5½	..	3 0 6	..	2 8 3	..	9 4 5	..	12 4 8	..	0 14 3	..	0 19 11	..	4 6 7
Total Expenditure ..	13 1 8	36 14 1½	94 8 0	126 2 4	23 16 10	63 0 8	42 2 6	112 5 11	59 12 8	128 2 2	44 10 2	87 15 11	43 12 7	70 11 4	50 3 5	52 17 2
Balance	45 1 1½	1 6 8½	520 3 8½	25 19 0½	219 7 0½	7 19 6	340 11 2½	9 18 10	382 4 4½	29 5 1½	233 7 4	38 18 4	42 1 8½	12 4 6½	90 11 0	29 10 8½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	35 0 0	..	400 0 0	..	182 10 0	..	317 7 6	..	334 15 3	20 0 0	233 7 4	38 18 4	25 15 0	..	85 12 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	20 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	10 1 1½	1 6 8½	70 3 8½	5 19 0½	36 17 0½	7 19 6	23 3 8½	9 18 10	47 9 1½	9 5 1½	..	..	16 6 8½	12 4 6½	4 19 0	29 10 8½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	15	14	89	91	43	38	55	70	71	79	58	69	38	29	18	46
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	..	5	2	..	1	11	9	23	28	10	13	3	6	12	4
Not entitled to benefits { New	1	6	15	12	3	4	37	25	28	28	26	3	8	9	22	10
Total	16	20	109	105	46	43	103	104	122	135	94	85	49	44	52	60
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	6		17		4		29		31		3		11		17	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		3, £40		..		2, £30		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	2		18		7		26		18		12		16		9	
Number of members sick ..	4		12		4		8		10		10		11		7	
Period of sickness	6 w. 2 d.		105 w. 2 d.		19 w. 1 d.		36 w. 5 d.		88 w. 1 d.		36 w.		59 w. 3 d.		56 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		1, £10		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] Amounts transferred to Incidental Fund in 1880, 1881, and 1882.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

MELBOURNE GRAND DIVISION—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	18 Temperance Town. Ascot Vale. 1886.		19 Brunswick. Brunswick. 1886.		20 North Fitzroy. North Fitzro . 1887.		21 Hawthorn. Hawthorn. 1887.		22 Doon. Doon. 1887.		Total of Division Funds.		Grand Division Funds.		Total of Melbourne Grand Division.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	35 6 10½	17 19 10½	25 10 1½	0 12 1	19 6 0	1 2 1	6 7 11	9 6 10	..	..	4,603 18 7¾	131 14 8	722 18 10	27 7 9	5,326 17 5¾	159 2 5
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	50 4 9½	63 3 5½	42 3 11½	43 6 9	43 17 0½	62 1 10	22 8 4½	30 8 10½	18 3 5	19 0 10	1,208 14 0½	1,502 0 5	..	..	1,208 14 0½	1,502 0 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 7 0	5 16 6	..	0 7 6	0 10 0	3 13 9	..	2 16 6	..	2 15 0	2 19 0	47 2 9	..	..	2 19 0	47 2 9
Interest	0 14 8	..	..	..	0 4 0	..	0 5 1	..	0 1 8	..	240 4 7	2 13 5	45 5 0	..	285 9 7	2 13 5
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	246 6 9	166 13 0	246 6 9	166 13 0
Other receipts	..	10 7 3	..	5 8 1	..	4 10 3	..	4 1 3	..	8 7 8	17 10 7½	150 15 4	..	85 19 9	17 10 7½	236 15 1
Total Receipts	51 6 5½	79 7 2½	42 3 11½	49 2 4	44 11 0½	70 5 10	22 13 5½	37 6 7½	18 5 1	30 3 6	1,469 8 3	1,702 11 11	291 11 9	252 12 9	1,761 0 0	1,955 4 8
Total	86 13 4	97 7 1	67 14 1	49 14 5	63 17 0½	71 7 11	29 1 4½	46 13 5½	18 5 1	30 3 6	6,073 6 10¾	1,834 6 7	1,014 10 7	280 0 6	7,087 17 5¾	2,114 7 1
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	9 16 8	..	22 15 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	505 6 3	..	..	..	505 6 3	..
Medical attendance	..	30 12 0	..	27 5 9	..	40 7 5	..	14 15 3	..	..	..	926 12 6½	..	..	..	926 12 6½
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	210 0 0	..	210 0 0	..
Grand Division dues	6 4 6	4 3 0	5 18 6	3 19 0	9 14 3	6 9 6	3 9 0	2 14 0	2 5 0	1 10 0	246 6 9	166 13 0	..	..	246 6 9	166 13 0
Management	..	13 11 3	..	2 4 3	..	15 14 0	..	17 10 5	..	4 4 11	..	350 19 7	..	122 10 9	..	473 10 4
Other expenditure	..	4 14 0	..	1 5 0	..	5 14 3	..	1 12 0	..	12 8 4	26 13 4	103 6 3	155 12 6[2]	131 10 11[3]	182 5 10	234 17 2
Total Expenditure	16 1 2	53 0 3	28 13 11	34 14 0	9 14 3	68 5 2	3 9 0	36 11 8	2 5 0	18 3 3	778 6 4	1,547 11 4½	365 12 6	254 1 8	1,143 18 10	1,801 13 0½
Balance	70 12 2	44 6 10	39 0 2	15 0 5	54 2 9½	3 2 9	25 12 4½	10 1 9½	16 0 1	12 0 3	5,295 0 6¾	286 15 2½	648 18 1	25 18 10	5,943 18 7¾	312 14 0½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	70 12 2	..	..	..	50 4 0	..	25 12 4½	..	14 10 1	10 2 7	4,551 19 10½	76 18 5	645 0 0	..	5,196 19 10½	76 18 5
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20 0 0	..	..	..	20 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	50 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	44 6 10	39 0 2	15 0 5	3 18 9½	3 2 9	..	10 1 9½	1 10 0	1 17 8	664 17 6¼	189 16 9½	3 18 1	25 18 10	668 15 7¼	215 15 7½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28 3 2	..	..	..	28 3 2	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	12	21	22	36	7	33	6	18	..	6	..	..	..	..	762	909
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	8	10	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	144	113
Not entitled to benefits { New	14	34	16	3	27	21	10	13	..	13	..	..	..	..	271	298
Total	34	65	40	39	34	58	16	31	..	20	..	..	..	..	1,177	1,320
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	41		3		33		17		22		..		..		361[4]	
Departures { By death	..		..		1[1]		..		..		..		..		12, £140	
Departures { Otherwise	10		4		8		2		2		..		..		206[5]	
Number of members sick	2		4		..		..		..		..		..		139	
Period of sickness	9 w. 5 d.		55 w.		..		..		..		..		..		845 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		1, £10		..		..		..		..		7, £70	

[1] Not entitled to benefits.—[2] Including £152 2s. dues to National Division Funeral Fund.—[3] Including £30 0s. 6d. dues to National Division Incidental Fund.—[4] Forty-two of these were admitted by clearance.—[5] Twenty-four of these left by clearance.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

VICTORIA GRAND DIVISION.

	1 Corio. Geelong. 1861.		2 Highton. Highton. 1867.		3 Concord. St. Albans. 1867.		4 Winchelsea. Winchelsea. 1867.		5 Terang. Terang. 1868.		6 Mortlake. Mortlake. 1868.		7 Star of Hope. Drysdale. 1868.		8 You Yangs. Lara. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	3,441 7 4	279 16 6	146 1 10½	−2 10 7½	748 12 11	−0 6 4	60 6 9	44 11 9	483 6 8	20 10 8	314 2 0½	2 12 2½	379 14 5½	10 13 0½	65 2 0½	7 3 2½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	261 10 3	300 0 3	15 12 9	17 14 9	48 3 0	74 4 0	14 18 9	16 19 3	55 17 7	63 4 7	31 19 8	34 3 6	74 17 9	95 0 2½	33 4 9	36 6 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 13 6	..	..	..	0 10 6	..	0 2 6	..	1 0 0	..	1 2 6	..	..	..	0 10 0
Interest	163 15 11	..	2 11 0	..	29 8 9	..	4 4 9	4 5 4	26 0 0	..	9 0 5	..	11 10 9	11 16 0	1 15 3	..
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	10 0 0[1]	22 12 10	..	2 10 0	..	1 15 10	..	0 1 0	..	0 4 6	..	10 8 6½	..	..	..	2 1 3
Total Receipts	435 6 2	326 6 7	18 3 9	20 4 9	77 11 9	76 10 4	19 3 6	21 8 1	81 17 7	64 9 1	41 0 1	45 14 6½	86 8 6	106 16 2½	35 0 0	38 17 6
Total	3,876 13 6	606 3 1	164 5 7½	17 14 1½	826 4 8	76 4 0	79 10 3	65 19 10	565 4 3	84 19 9	355 2 1½	48 6 9	466 2 11½	117 9 3	100 2 0½	46 0 8½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	136 18 8	..	3 0 0	..	10 3 4	..	18 4 0	..	26 9 4	..	7 17 2	..	15 5 4	..	27 10 8	..
Medical attendance	..	212 6 10	..	9 2 6	..	38 4 6	..	3 10 0	..	48 0 0	..	30 0 0	..	51 0 0	..	28 9 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues	77 2 0	61 1 3	4 16 0	3 18 0	14 18 0	11 18 6	4 14 0	4 3 6	15 14 0	13 2 8	9 14 0	9 4 5	17 4 0	16 12 7	9 14 0	10 6 6
Management	..	60 14 10	..	3 8 9	..	13 9 6	..	4 6 7	..	9 7 3	..	1 5 7	..	22 13 5½	..	5 10 8
Other expenditure	..	12 7 7	..	0 10 4	..	14 19 0	..	..	..	0 7 3	10 13 7[2]	..	..	0 1 0	..	..
Total Expenditure	214 0 8	346 10 6	7 16 0	16 19 7	25 1 4	78 11 6	22 18 0	12 0 1	42 3 4	70 17 2	28 4 9	40 10 0	32 9 4	90 7 0½	37 4 8	44 6 7
Balance	3,662 12 10	259 12 7	156 9 7½	0 14 6½	801 3 4	−2 7 6	56 12 3	53 19 9	523 0 11	14 2 7	326 17 4½	7 16 9	433 13 7½	27 2 2½	62 17 4½	1 14 1½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	2,515 2 3	59 12 7	141 3 2	..	739 9 8	..	54 4 8	51 12 2	521 2 11	..	299 9 9	..	421 19 10	..	61 15 3	..
Invested in halls	1,026 9 10	200 0 0	..	..	40 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	121 0 9	..	15 6 5½	0 14 6½	19 6 2	− 6	2 7 7	2 7 7	1 18 0	14 2 7	27 7 7½	7 16 9	11 13 9½	27 2 2½	1 2 1½	1 14 1½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	2 7 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	166	169	11	12	36	35	13	11	29	34	17	18	28	40	24	25
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	8	13	..	..	2	..	..	..	7	3	1	..	13	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	16	21	1	..	1	2	..	1	7	7	2	8	7	9	1	1
Total	190	203	12	12	39	37	13	12	43	44	20	26	48	49	25	26
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	25		..		2		1		7		8		9		1	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	11		..		4		..		6		2		8		..	
Number of members sick	25		1		5		9		9		1		2		6	
Period of sickness	203 w. 3 d.		3 w.		10 w. 1 d.		63 w.		26 w. 3 d.		7 w. 5 d.		15 w. 2 d.		112 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Final payment on sale of Kensington Hall.—[2] Error in balance.

VICTORIA GRAND DIVISION—continued.

	9 Barwon Rose. South Geelong. 1868.		10 Grange. Hamilton. 1869.		11 Fitzroy. Heywood. 1869.		12 Portland. Portland. 1869.		13 Hopeful. Coleraine. 1869.		14 Glenelg, Casterton, and Sandford.—Casterton. 1869.		15 Darlington. Darlington. 1870.		16 Portarlington. Portarlington. 1870.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	595 12 10	−10 11 7	268 19 3	0 8 7	197 13 9	5 0 6	227 0 9	8 4 9	205 19 5	5 2 5	745 14 11	25 7 6	217 1 2¾	18 15 3	244 13 4	30 4 11½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	67 10 0	84 2 0	27 6 11	33 15 5	21 11 0	24 9 6	22 10 9	24 19 3	14 10 9	17 15 6	57 1 3	64 6 10	6 17 6	7 10 6	66 11 10	78 7 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 12 0	..	1 4 6	..	0 7 6	..	0 10 0	..	1 0 0	..	1 9 6	..	0 1 0	..	0 12 6
Interest	14 5 7	..	26 14 8	..	12 5 4	..	12 15 0	..	..	..	33 17 8	7 15 0[2]	10 10 0	..	7 12 0	0 8 0
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 5 0	..	0 2 6	..	0 1 6	..	0 1 6	..	0 3 5	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	7 5 9
Total Receipts ..	81 15 7	86 19 0	54 1 7	35 2 5	33 16 4	24 18 6	35 5 9	25 10 9	14 10 9	18 18 11	90 18 11	75 11 4	17 7 6	7 11 6	74 3 10	86 13 3
Total	677 8 5	76 7 5	323 0 10	35 11 0	231 10 1	29 19 0	262 6 6	33 15 6	220 10 2	24 1 4	836 13 10	100 18 10	234 8 8¾	26 6 9	318 17 2	116 18 2½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	31 6 8	..	37 10 0	..	6 0 0	..	34 10 0	..	11 0 0	..	61 8 4	..	..	..	17 14 6	..
Medical attendance	..	69 7 2	..	22 15 0	..	18 5 0	..	18 10 0	..	13 10 10	..	44 0 0	..	5 8 3	..	58 6 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Division dues	19 4 0	7 18 0	8 14 0	5 13 11	6 6 0	5 13 2	7 10 0	7 12 0	4 4 0	2 4 11	14 14 0	14 5 0	2 0 0	1 18 5	19 4 0	21 13 0
Management	..	20 7 11	..	10 2 0	..	6 4 5	..	4 15 3	..	..	..	19 19 6	..	0 8 1	..	12 14 2
Other expenditure	..	..	..	1 8 0	..	..	..	0 17 6	..	0 5 5	..	4 11 0	..	0 1 0	..	0 2 6
Total Expenditure ..	50 10 8	97 13 1	46 4 0	39 18 11	12 6 0	30 2 7	42 0 0	31 14 9	15 4 0	16 1 2	76 2 4	82 15 6	2 0 0	7 15 9	36 18 6	92 15 8
Balance	626 17 9	−21 5 8	276 16 10	−4 7 11	219 4 1	−0 3 7	220 6 6	2 0 9	205 6 2	8 0 2	760 11 6	18 3 4	232 8 8¾	18 11 0	281 18 8	24 2 6½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	0 15 8	..	262 13 10	..	198 15 4	..	211 19 0	..	202 0 0	..	664 15 6	..	210 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	582 13 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65 7 8	..	..	..	210 0 0	10 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	22 2 8	−21 5 8	9 15 1	−4 7 11	20 5 2	−0 3 7	8 7 6	2 0 9	3 6 2	8 0 2	30 8 4	18 3 4	22 8 8¾	18 11 0	71 18 8	14 2 6½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	21 5 8	..	4 7 11	..	0 3 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	45	47	19	18	16	13	19	15	8	8	36	37	5	4	44	45
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	3	..	..	1	1	1	..	3	..	..	1	2	..	..	4	1
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	3	2	5	..	3	..	2	..	5	5	9	..	..	8	3
Total	55	50	21	24	17	17	19	20	8	13	42	48	5	4	56	49
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	3		5		3		2		6		10		..		3	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		1[1]		..		..		..		..		..		1, £20	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	8		1		3		1		1		4		1		9	
Number of members sick ..	8		5		2		4		3		8		..		7	
Period of sickness	31 w. 2 d.		37 w. 3 d.		6 w.		64 w. 4 d.		11 w.		66 w. 4 d.		..		17 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation not paid.——[2] Rent of hall wrongly credited to this fund.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

VICTORIA GRAND DIVISION—continued.

	17 Warrnambool. Warrnambool. 1870.		18 Anchor. Port Fairy. 1871.		19 Jubilee. Kaniva. 1887.		20 Hope of Nhill. Nhill. 1887.		21 Kowree. Harrow. 1888.		Total of Division Funds.		Grand Division Funds.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 202 10 5¼	£ s. d. 11 14 10¼	£ s. d. 93 7 3	£ s. d. 1 5 3	£ s. d. 2 7 9	£ s. d. 6 0 7	£ s. d. 3 13 9	£ s. d. 4 14 11	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 8,643 8 9	£ s. d. 468 18 4¾	£ s. d. 1,831 4 1	£ s. d. −6 13 3
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	41 10 4	47 8 0	13 1 4	14 2 8	35 10 3	39 19 10	14 17 3	15 6 9	17 1 3	12 12 6	942 4 11	1,102 8 6½	..	..
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 15 0	..	0 7 6	..	..	..	0 5 0	..	2 15 0	..	16 18 6	..	..
Interest	11 6 5	..	5 14 4	..	..	9 18 6	..	..	..	..	383 7 10	34 2 10	102 12 7	..
Grand Division dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	253 10 0	232 18 11
Other receipts	..	0 12 6	..	0 3 6	..	7 8 0	..	0 0 6	..	0 10 3	10 0 0	60 8 4½	..	1 13 10
Total Receipts	52 16 9	48 15 6	18 15 8	14 13 8	35 10 3	57 6 4	14 17 3	15 12 3	17 1 3	15 17 9	1,335 12 9	1,213 18 3	356 2 7	234 12 9
Total	255 7 2¼	60 10 4¼	112 2 11	15 18 11	37 18 0	63 6 11	18 11 0	20 7 2	17 1 3	15 17 9	9,979 1 6	1,682 16 7¾	2,187 6 8	227 19 6
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	24 1 6	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	4 0 0	..	..	..	474 19 6	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	39 1 6	..	15 0 0	..	20 8 6	..	20 0 0	..	5 12 0	..	770 17 6	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 0 0	..
Grand Division dues	12 14 0	14 5 6	4 16 0	3 4 11	0 8 0	6 16 9	..	7 0 5	..	4 5 6	253 10 0	232 18 11	..	..
Management	..	9 9 8	..	0 19 3	..	6 1 8	..	1 0 6	..	4 16 10	..	217 15 10½	..	178 2 8
Other expenditure	..	0 4 6	..	..	..	3 7 6	..	3 14 1	..	1 12 1	10 13 7	44 8 9	148 13 6[1]	40 3 3[2]
Total Expenditure	36 15 6	63 1 2	6 16 0	19 4 2	0 8 0	36 14 5	4 0 0	31 15 0	..	16 6 5	739 3 1	1,266 1 0½	188 13 6	218 5 11
Balance	218 11 8¼	−2 10 9¾	105 6 11	−3 5 3	37 10 0	26 12 6	14 11 0	−11 7 10	17 1 3	−0 8 8	9,239 18 5	416 15 7¼	1,998 13 2	9 13 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	190 4 0	..	102 1 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,797 12 6	111 4 9	1,968 15 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,924 11 3	210 0 0	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	25 16 10½	−2 10 9¾	..	−3 5 3	37 10 0	26 12 6	3 3 2	−11 7 10	16 12 7	−0 8 8	471 17 5¼	95 10 10¼	29 17 8	9 13 7
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	2 10 9¾	..	3 5 3	..	..	..	11 7 10	..	0 8 8	..	45 17 2¾	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	28	28	4	7	8	24	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	3	5	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	6	8	3	16	39	15	..	..	11	..	..	..	..
Total	33	39	12	13	24	63	15	15	..	11	..	..	..	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	8		3		44		..		15		..		..	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	2		2		5		..		4		..		..	
Number of members sick	3		1		..		1		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	44 w.		2 w.		..		4 w.		..		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including £146 13s. 6d. dues to National Division Funeral Fund.——[2] Dues to National Division Incidental Fund.

ORDER OF SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

—	Total of Victoria Grand Division.		Total of Ballarat and Sandhurst Grand Division.		Total of Melbourne Grand Division.		Total of Victoria Grand Division.		National Division Funds.		Grand Total of Order of Sons of Temperance.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	10,474 12 10	462 5 1¾	3,667 4 4¾	66 19 1¾	5,326 17 5¾	159 2 5	10,474 12 10	462 5 1¾	813 7 8	−9 13 6	20,282 2 4½	678 13 2½
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	942 4 11	1,102 8 6½	627 9 4	666 13 1½	1,208 14 0½	1,502 0 5	942 4 11	1,102 8 6½	..	..	2,778 8 3½	3,271 2 1
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	16 18 6	7 4 0	14 7 4	2 19 0	47 2 9	..	16 18 6	..	..	10 3 0	78 8 7
Interest	486 0 5	34 2 10	177 15 0	3 15 11	285 9 7	2 13 5	486 0 5	34 2 10	34 6 6	..	983 11 6	40 12 2
Grand Division dues	253 10 0	232 18 11	156 13 1	143 12 6	246 6 9	166 13 0	253 10 0	232 18 11	..	..	656 9 10	543 4 5
Other receipts	10 0 0	62 2 2½	36 4 6	79 7 8	17 10 7½	236 15 1	10 0 0	62 2 2½	360 13 0[2]	94 2 0[3]	424 8 1½	472 6 11½
Total Receipts	1,691 15 4	1,448 11 0	1,005 5 11	907 16 6½	1,761 0 0	1,955 4 8	1,691 15 4	1,448 11 0	394 19 6	94 2 0	4,853 0 9	4,405 14 2½
Total	12,166 8 2	1,910 16 1¾	4,672 10 3¾	974 15 8¼	7,087 17 5¾	2,114 7 1	12,166 8 2	1,910 16 1¾	1,208 7 2	84 8 6	25,135 3 1½	5,084 7 5
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	474 19 6	..	444 18 1	..	505 6 3	..	474 19 6	..	..	..	1,425 3 10	..
Medical attendance	..	770 17 6	..	379 14 2	..	926 12 6½	..	770 17 6	..	..	..	2,077 4 2½
Funeral donations	40 0 0	..	130 0 0	..	210 0 0	..	40 0 0	..	..	..	380 0 0	..
Grand Division dues	253 10 0	232 18 11	156 13 1	143 12 6	246 6 9	166 13 0	253 10 0	232 18 11	..	..	656 9 10	543 4 5
Management	..	395 18 6½	..	275 16 9	..	473 10 4	..	395 18 6½	..	74 5 10	..	1,219 11 5½
Other expenditure	159 7 1	84 12 0	106 12 5	64 9 0	182 5 10	234 17 2	159 7 1	84 12 0	..	15 0 0	448 5 4	398 18 2
Total Expenditure	927 16 7	1,484 6 11½	838 3 7	863 12 5	1,143 18 10	1,801 13 0½	927 16 7	1,484 6 11½	..	89 5 10	2,909 19 0	4,238 18 3
Balance	11,238 11 7	426 9 2¼	3,834 6 8¾	111 3 3¼	5,943 18 7¾	312 14 0½	11,238 11 7	426 9 2¼	1,208 7 2	−4 17 4	22,225 4 1½	845 9 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	8,766 8 0	111 4 9	3,413 17 9½	88 2 6	5,196 19 10½	76 18 5	8,766 8 0	111 4 9	1,142 17 0	..	18,520 2 8	276 5 8
Invested in halls	1,924 11 3	210 0 0	100 0 0	..	..	20 0 0	1,924 11 3	210 0 0	..	..	2,024 11 3	230 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	501 15 1¼	105 4 5¼	260 19 2¼	23 0 9¼	668 15 7¼	215 15 7½	501 15 1¼	105 4 5¼	60 12 10	−4 17 4	1,492 2 8¾	339 3 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	45 17 2¾	..	59 9 9	..	28 3 2	..	45 17 2¾	..	4 17 4	..	138 7 5¼	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	556	605	497	436	762	909	556	605	..	..	1,815	1,950
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	43	32	74	90	144	113	43	32	..	..	261	235
Not entitled to benefits — New	98	138	105	105	271	298	98	138	..	..	474	541
Total	697	775	676	631	1,177	1,320	697	775	..	..	2,550	2,726
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	155[1]		111		361		155		..		627	
Departures — By death	3, £40		7, £100		12, £140		3, £40		..		22, £280	
Departures — Otherwise	74[2]		149		206		74		..		429	
Number of members sick	94		95		139		94		..		328	
Period of sickness	26 w. 3 d.		686 w. 2 d.		845 w. 4 d.		826 w. 3 d.		..		2,358 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		3, £30		7, £70		..		..		10, £100	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Eight of these were admitted by clearance.—[2] Twelve of these left by clearance.—[3] These amounts are dues to the National Division Funds received from the Grand Division Funds, but they differ from the statements of the Grand Divisions by £20 15s. and £8 5s. 3d. respectively.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

	1 Perseverance. Melbourne. 1868.		2 Cosmopolitan. Port Melbourne. 1871.		3 Corio. Geelong. 1871.		4 Ballarat British. Ballarat. 1871.		5 Clunes. Clunes. 1871.		6 Prahran. Prahran. 1871.		7 Buninyong. Buninyong. 1871.		8 Daylesford. Daylesford. 1872.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	32 11 2	45 18 3	71 10 9	−47 13 9	802 14 4	11 16 5	440 12 9	84 3 3	18 6 5	16 4 9½	362 10 0	8 9 10	70 16 11	..	22 0 6	8 12 3
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	92 13 8	103 4 4	16 3 9	20 2 11	311 13 8	222 3 5	116 8 6	132 7 3	25 8 9	38 16 7	195 2 1	211 13 8	16 14 3	14 9 9	9 2 0	16 4 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	45 5 0	..	..	3 9 0	..	..	..	..	5 15 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 12 6	0 17 6	0 17 6	2 17 6	3 5 0	0 2 6	0 2 6	..	..	2 17 6	3 2 6	..	..	..	..
Interest	3 1 4	..	..	..	49 19 0	..	26 5 0	..	..	..	22 10 0	..	2 0 0	..	..	..
Grand Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	4 14 0	..	1 13 0	..	2 11 0	..	2 12 0	..	..	0 16 8[3]	17 14 7	..	..	10 13 9[4]	..
Total Receipts ..	95 15 0	112 10 10	17 1 3	22 13 5	364 10 2	273 4 5	142 16 0	135 1 9	28 17 9	38 16 7	221 6 3	232 10 9	18 14 3	20 4 9	19 15 9	16 4 0
Total	128 6 2	158 9 1	88 12 0	−25 0 4	1,167 4 6	285 0 10	583 8 9	219 5 0	47 4 2	55 1 4½	583 16 3	241 0 7	89 11 2	20 4 9	41 16 3	24 16 3
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	63 6 4	..	2 0 0	..	85 6 8	..	127 14 2	..	0 12 6[2]	..	72 13 4	..	3 5 0[2]	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	77 11 2	..	12 1 6	..	215 14 3	..	78 7 2	..	24 3 0	..	154 0 6	..	10 11 9	..	11 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Council dues	19 15 6	14 16 3	3 3 0	2 5 0	69 12 0	49 16 3	27 15 0	19 13 9	6 4 0	4 3 3	39 12 0	30 6 3	4 4 6	2 18 9	2 2 0	1 10 0
Management	..	18 9 6	..	8 17 0	..	28 16 0	..	28 2 7	..	12 2 0	..	33 12 6	..	10 15 6	..	0 8 6
Other expenditure	..	2 4 0	..	0 2 6	..	8 11 0	..	1 0 0	..	10 15 9½	..	1 19 6	..	..	..	10 13 9
Total Expenditure ..	83 1 10	113 0 11	5 3 0	23 6 0	154 18 8	302 17 6	155 9 2	127 3 6	6 16 6	51 4 0½	112 5 4	219 18 9	7 9 6	24 6 0	2 2 0	23 12 3
Balance	45 4 4	45 8 2	83 9 0	−48 6 4	1,012 5 10	−17 16 8	427 19 7	92 1 6	40 7 8	3 17 4	471 10 11	21 1 10	82 1 8	−4 1 3	39 14 3	1 4 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	30 0 0	26 12 10	..	..	900 0 0	..	427 19 7	72 0 5	..	..	451 10 0	..	50 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	15 4 4	18 15 4	35 2 8	−48 6 4	94 9 2	−17 16 8	..	20 1 1	40 7 8	3 17 4	20 0 11	21 1 10	28 0 5	−4 1 3	39 14 3	1 4 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	48 6 4	..	17 16 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 1 3	..	..	..
Other funds possesed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	54	61	9	9	185	191	75	75	18	17	97	113	12	11	6	6
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	16	8	..	..	12	14	2	1	4	2	13	10	..	1	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	1	12	..	8	10	18	2	1	..	..	7	13	..	..	..	..
Total	71	81	9	17	207	223	79	77	22	19	117	136	12	12	6	6
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	25		9		29		2		..		29		..		..	
Departures .. { By death ..	1, £20		1, £20		1, £20[1]		2, £40		1, £20		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	14		..		12		2		2		10		..		..	
Number of members sick ..	8		1		22		1		1		17		1		..	
Period of sickness	197 w. 2 d.		2 w.		85 w. 2 d.		176 w. 5 d.		10 w.		78 w.		52 w.		..	
Deaths of registered wives ..	1, £10		..		2, £20		2, £20		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation for 1887—The member who died this year was not entitled to benefits.—[2] Sick pay a a reduced scale.—[3] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[4] Transferred from Incidental Fund.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

	9 Emerald Hill. South Melbourne. 1872.		10 Hope. Maryborough. 1872.		11 Standard. Ballarat. 1872.		12 Duke of Richmond. Richmond. 1873.		13 Blue. Koroit. 1873.		14 Pleasant Creek. Stawell. 1873.		15 Gippsland. Sale. 1873.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 524 5 8	£ s. d. 52 19 11	£ s. d. 128 14 6	£ s. d. −46 9 9	£ s. d. 212 17 11	£ s. d. 33 14 1½	£ s. d. 260 1 1	£ s. d. 54 17 10	£ s. d. 63 12 9	£ s. d. −5 1 6	£ s. d. 48 16 6½	£ s. d. −17 14 4½	£ s. d. 219 14 9	£ s. d. −18 7 0
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	231 3 3	311 5 8	43 10 4	43 17 6	39 7 6	53 1 6	169 17 4	185 17 11	13 13 0	12 2 0	20 7 10	21 19 10½	18 7 0	35 17 7
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 4 1	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	14 12 6	..	0 2 6	..	..	..	4 15 0	..	..	1 5 0	1 10 0	0 2 6	1 15 0
Interest	53 4 8½	..	..	..	10 15 0	..	20 16 4	..	3 3 6	..	..	..	14 3 2	..
Grand Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	5 5 0	..	14 4 0	..	0 3 6	..	1 17 6	..	..	..	18 0 10	..	1 0 0
Total Receipts	284 7 11½	331 3 2	43 10 4	58 4 0	50 2 6	53 5 0	190 13 8	192 10 5	16 16 6	12 2 0	21 12 10	45 14 9½	32 12 8	38 12 7
Total	808 13 7½	384 3 1	172 4 10	11 14 3	263 0 5	86 19 1½	450 14 9	247 8 3	80 9 3	7 0 6	70 9 4½	28 0 5	252 7 5	20 5 7
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	100 13 4	..	33 0 0	..	43 7 6	..	35 1 8	..	5 0 0	..	28 5 0	..	2 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	190 11 3	..	37 10 3	..	29 12 1	..	141 4 11	..	10 8 0	..	45 7 6	..	17 9 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Council dues	54 13 6	42 7 6	10 0 6	7 5 0	9 11 0	6 12 6	37 6 0	28 15 3	3 5 0	2 10 0	6 8 6	4 12 6	6 8 9	2 19 3
Management	..	57 3 8	..	13 12 7	..	18 7 0	..	37 3 0	..	4 5 6	..	5 14 6	..	21 11 0
Other expenditure	..	20 18 5	..	..	0 5 0[1]	0 3 6	..	10 0 6	..	..	..	5 16 0	..	..
Total Expenditure	155 6 10	311 0 10	43 0 6	58 7 10	53 3 6	54 15 1	72 7 8	217 3 8	8 5 0	17 3 6	34 13 6	61 10 6	8 8 9	41 19 6
Balance	653 6 9½	73 2 3	129 4 4	−46 13 7	209 16 11	32 4 0½	378 7 1	30 4 7	72 4 3	−10 3 0	35 15 10½	−33 10 1	243 18 8	−21 13 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	611 14 1	73 2 3	63 0 0	..	209 16 11	31 17 8	350 0 0	..	56 18 10	..	..	..	175 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	41 12 8½	..	19 10 9	−46 13 7	..	0 6 4½	28 7 1	30 4 7	5 2 5	−10 3 0	2 5 9½	−33 10 1	47 4 9	−21 13 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	46 13 7	..	..	..	..	..	10 3 0	..	33 10 1	..	21 13 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	120	142	25	29	25	25	92	102	9	10	10	10	9	13
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	22	38	2	1	2	..	12	8	..	..	2	7	2	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	17	30	3	..	2	..	15	10	1	..	..	..	2	..
Total	167	210	30	30	29	25	119	120	10	10	12	17	13	19
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	55		1		..		22		..		10		9	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		1, £20		..		..		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	11		1		3		21		..		4		3	
Number of members sick	20		4		8		10		2		2		1	
Period of sickness	107 w. 2 d.		83 w.		88 w. 5 d.		72 w. 5 d.		5 w.		35 w.		2 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Expenses, *re* funeral, debited to wrong fund.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	16 Warrnambool British. Warrnambool. 1874.		17 Cheltenham. Cheltenham. 1880.		18 South Yarra.[2] South Yarra. 1881.		19 Coburg. Coburg. 1882.		20 Footscray. Footscray. 1882.		21 Governor Walker. Collingwood. 1883.		22 Excelsior. Windsor. 1883.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 293 11 0	£ s. d. −26 8 9	£ s. d. 609 8 10	£ s. d. −0 1 8	£ s. d. 78 2 2	£ s. d. −12 3 10	£ s. d. 78 4 9	£ s. d. 2 13 8	£ s. d. 91 2 8	£ s. d. −5 13 11½	£ s. d. 145 6 7	£ s. d. −15 0 5	£ s. d. 59 4 2	£ s. d. −36 17 4
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	37 2 0	39 1 6	177 10 1	164 1 1	..	..	54 15 11	66 16 7	71 13 8	77 17 5	75 12 1	85 14 9	24 7 8	27 19 7
Special levies	..	15 15 0	..	41 14 0	..	..	..	5 15 6	..	13 15 0	..	1 6 9	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	3 1 0	2 0 0	..	..	0 15 0	1 0 0	3 9 9	4 19 9	..	2 2 6	0 8 9	1 18 9
Interest	17 6 0	..	29 19 0	..	..	..	..	..	2 1 0	..	5 3 4	..	..	..
Grand Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 18 0	0 1 8[1]	1 4 6	..	12 3 10	..	1 10 6	..	2 11 2	..	2 17 6	..	0 12 0
Total Receipts	54 8 0	56 14 6	210 11 9	208 19 7	..	12 3 10	55 10 11	75 2 7	77 4 5	99 3 4	80 15 5	92 1 6	24 16 5	30 10 4
Total	347 19 0	30 5 9	820 0 7	208 17 11	78 2 2	..	133 15 8	77 16 3	168 7 1	93 9 4½	226 2 0	77 1 1	84 0 7	−6 7 0
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	29 3 4	..	47 16 8	..	..	..	31 2 6	..	44 3 4	..	3 10 0	..	0 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	28 15 0	..	134 5 1	..	..	..	50 16 6	..	70 3 2	..	64 4 10	..	22 10 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Council dues	11 4 0	8 0 0	39 3 6	30 3 9	..	..	12 19 6	9 5 0	15 5 0	11 1 3	17 13 0	13 13 9	5 16 6	4 15 6
Management	..	23 1 6	..	28 13 6	..	..	..	12 0 0	..	16 15 4	..	16 9 0	..	4 18 0
Other expenditure	..	0 12 6	..	6 1 9	78 2 2[2]	..	..	0 6 0	..	2 10 3	..	..	1 0 0[3]	1 7 6
Total Expenditure	40 7 4	60 9 0	87 0 2	199 4 1	78 2 2	..	44 2 0	72 7 6	59 8 4	100 10 0	21 3 0	94 7 7	7 13 2	33 11 6
Balance	307 11 8	−30 3 3	733 0 5	9 13 10	..	..	89 13 8	5 8 9	108 18 9	−7 0 7½	204 19 0	−17 6 6	76 7 5	−39 18 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	266 14 7	..	400 0 0	..	..	..	56 9 7	..	65 0 0	..	175 14 3	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	10 13 10	−30 3 3	133 0 5	9 13 10	..	..	33 4 1	5 8 9	36 18 1½	−7 0 7½	11 18 3	−17 6 6	36 8 11	−39 18 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	−30 3 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 0 7½	..	17 6 6	..	39 18 6	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	32	32	100	110	22	..	33	32	36	48	42	51	16	15
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	..	21	11	5	..	6	9	4	10	7	6	7	5
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	..	6	10	..	..	2	2	6	17	7	5	..	2
Total	34	32	127	131	27	..	41	43	46	75	56	62	23	22
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	..		16		..		5		33		13		7	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		1, £20		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	2		12		27		3		3		7		8	
Number of members sick	4		7		..		3		11		3		1	
Period of sickness	29 w. 1 d.		47 w. 5 d.		..		65 w. 2 d.		65 w. 3		3 w. 3 d.		5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		2, £20		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] This lodge was amalgamated with Prahran Lodge in 1887, and the balance should have been shown as transferred thereto last year.—[3] Error in previous balance-sheet.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	23 Carlton. Carlton. 1883.		24 Star of Hotham. North Melbourne. 1884.		25 Royal Charter. Brunswick. 1885.		26 Auburn. Hawthorn. 1887.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Council Funds.		The Whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	63 17 6	−6 1 10	107 12 4	−16 15 1	26 18 6	−5 2 7	3 12 11	4 13 4	4,836 7 5½	64 11 10	2,575 7 10	25 5 4	7,411 15 3½	89 17 2
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	44 1 4	37 2 1	49 0 5	70 17 0	28 7 0	45 10 3	17 9 11	36 1 10	1,899 13 0	2,074 6 0½	..	..	1,899 13 0	2,074 6 0½
Special levies	..	6 6 0	..	..	..	4 15 0	..	1 0 0	3 9 0	145 11 4	..	..	3 9 0	145 11 4
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 2 6	..	3 0 0	1 18 9	1 18 9	..	1 13 6	17 15 9	55 10 9	..	..	17 15 9	55 10 9
Interest	0 16 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	261 3 10½	..	147 15 2	..	408 19 0½	..
Grand Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	434 12 3	321 3 3	434 12 3	321 3 3
Other receipts	..	2 12 3	..	4 8 5	..	9 4 6	1 3 4[2]	1 2 0	12 15 5	110 0 1	9 1 9	41 0 0	21 17 2	151 0 1
Total Receipts	44 17 10	48 2 10	49 0 5	78 5 5	30 5 9	61 8 6	18 13 3	39 17 4	2,194 17 0½	2,385 8 2½	591 9 2	362 3 3	2,786 6 2½	2,747 11 5½
Total	108 15 4	42 1 0	156 12 9	61 10 4	57 4 3	56 5 11	22 6 2	44 10 8	7,031 4 6	2,450 0 0½	3,166 17 0	387 8 7	10,198 1 6	2,837 8 7½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	36 1 8	..	11 16 8	..	13 14 10	..	..	..	820 11 2	..	..	..	820 11 2	..
Medical attendance	..	33 2 0	..	38 17 11	..	29 13 9	..	18 13 5	..	1,546 14 9	..	..	..	1,546 14 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	330 0 0	..	330 0 0	..
Grand Council dues	10 9 6	7 18 9	12 7 0	8 15 0	6 11 0	4 12 6	3 2 0	2 6 3	434 12 3	321 3 3	..	..	434 12 3	321 3 3
Management	..	10 13 6	..	26 13 0	..	13 11 6	..	6 13 4	..	458 9 6	..	247 10 6	..	706 0 0
Other expenditure	..	1 2 0	..	1 0 6	10 0 0[1]	1 12 0	..	4 9 0	89 7 2	91 6 5½	..	30 6 6	89 7 2	121 12 11½
Total Expenditure	46 11 2	52 16 3	24 3 8	75 6 5	30 5 10	49 9 9	3 2 0	32 2 0	1,344 10 7	2,417 13 11½	330 0 0	277 17 0	1,674 10 7	2,695 10 11½
Balance	62 4 2	−10 15 3	132 9 1	−13 16 1	26 18 5	6 16 2	19 4 2	12 8 8	5,686 13 11	32 6 1	2,836 17 0	109 11 7	8,523 10 11	141 17 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	30 16 6	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	4,370 14 4	203 13 2	2,470 0 0	..	6,840 14 4	203 13 2
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	200 0 0	..	..	..	200 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	20 12 5	−10 15 3	68 13 0	−13 16 1	26 18 5	6 16 2	19 4 2	12 8 8	814 14 6½	−171 7 1	366 17 0	109 11 7	1,181 11 6½	−61 15 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	10 15 3	..	13 16 1	..	..	..	..	..	301 5 0½	..	..	..	301 5 0½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	30	33	25	27	18	17	11	17	..	..	..	..	1,120	1,196
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	8	4	15	7	5	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	168	154
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	5	7	4	..	11	4	6	..	..	..	..	94	154
Total	40	42	47	38	23	34	15	23	..	..	..	..	1,382	1,504
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	12		10		16		9		..		..		312[3]	
Departures { By death	..		1, £20		..		..		..		..		11, £220	
Departures { Otherwise	10		18		5		1		..		..		179[4]	
Number of members sick	5		4		2		..		..		..		156	
Period of sickness	38 w. 3 d.		11 w. 5 d.		13 w. 5 d.		..		..		..		1,271 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £10		..		..		11, £110	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Loss on debentures of Grand Council demonstration.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[3] Thirty-seven of these were admitted by clearance.—[4] Twenty-three of these left by clearance.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Victorian. Melbourne. 1864.		2 Ivy. Bacchus Marsh. 1866.		3 Carlton. Carlton. 1869.		4 Olive Branch. South Yarra. 1869.		5 Fitzroy. Fitzroy. 1869.		6 Southern Cross. Prahran. 1872.		7 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1875.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,550 4 7	−2 9 11	224 1 10	−1 0 3	479 18 6½	−11 6 4½	576 14 1½	10 11 3½	352 4 9½	11 6 10½	478 0 3	11 2 7	404 3 3	117 2 4
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	44 10 10	50 4 5	28 16 6½	18 8 11½	56 12 0	64 13 7	96 0 0	111 12 1	126 13 1½	121 8 10½	112 2 10	145 10 2	128 11 10½	136 15 10½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 7 9	..	1 5 0	..	2 14 0	1 10 0	5 2 0	..	10 13 0	..	2 12 6	2 10 0	6 17 6
Interest	100 8 10	..	3 0 10	..	28 0 0	..	25 10 0	..	17 3 0	..	22 6 3	..	31 17 6	6 13 0
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 14 0	..	1 2 0	..	4 10 10½	..	9 9 9	..	5 0 0	..	7 15 6	..	4 12 9
Total Receipts	144 19 8	53 6 2	31 17 4½	20 15 11½	84 12 0	71 18 5½	123 0 0	126 3 10	143 16 1½	137 1 10½	134 9 1	155 18 2	162 19 4½	154 19 1½
Total	1,695 4 3	50 16 3	255 19 2½	19 15 8½	564 10 6½	60 12 1	699 14 1½	136 15 1½	496 0 11	148 8 9	612 9 4	167 0 9	567 2 7½	272 1 5½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	29 0 0	..	14 0 0	..	53 13 4	..	23 10 0	..	48 8 5	..	35 14 8	..	37 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	26 6 2	..	24 1 0	..	37 6 9	..	97 3 0	..	73 3 5	..	102 6 6	..	65 10 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	5 13 0	7 1 3	5 6 0	4 10 0	6 13 0	8 13 9	13 12 0	16 15 0	13 5 0	17 7 6	14 17 0	18 13 9	14 9 0	18 13 9
Management	..	19 19 9	..	2 12 0	..	16 0 3	..	20 16 2	..	42 18 3	..	29 4 0	..	40 5 5
Other expenditure	0 15 0[1]	..	..	1 12 6	..	2 14 3	..	1 0 0	..	4 3 2	..	1 2 0	..	12 7 0
Total Expenditure	35 8 0	53 7 2	19 6 0	32 15 6	60 6 4	64 15 0	37 2 0	135 14 2	61 13 5	137 12 4	50 11 8	151 6 3	52 2 4	136 16 8
Balance	1,659 16 3	−2 10 11	236 13 2½	−12 19 9½	504 4 2½	−4 2 11	662 12 1½	1 0 11½	434 7 6	10 16 5	561 17 8	15 14 6	515 0 3½	135 4 9½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	1,605 0 0	..	112 14 0½	..	400 0 0	..	635 10 0	..	250 0 0	..	440 0 0	..	435 0 0	110 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	52 5 4	−2 10 11	10 19 4½	−12 19 9½	100 1 3½	−4 2 11	27 2 1½	1 0 11½	184 7 6	10 16 5	121 17 8	15 14 6	80 0 3½	25 4 9½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	2 10 11	..	12 19 9½	..	4 2 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	26	27	16	18	32	37	57	52	57	63	64	66	65	62
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	3	..	..	..	3	1	..	4	11	10	2	5	2	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	1	2	5	3	4	8	7	10	25	10	8	10	14
Total	31	28	18	23	38	42	65	63	78	98	76	79	77	82
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	2		5		6		7		29		9		17	
Departures { By death	2, £40		..		..		1, £20		1[2]		2, £40		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	3		..		2		8		8		4		11	
Number of members sick	7		3		8		6		12		10		5	
Period of sickness	29 w.		14 w.		80 w. 4 d.		23 w. 3 d.		59 w. 3 d.		36 w. 4 d.		37 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		1[3]		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Trustees' expenses debited to wrong fund.—[2] Not entitled to benefits.—[3] Husband unfinancial at death of wife.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS.

	8 Emerald. South Melbourne. 1875.		9 City of Collingwood. Collingwood. 1876.		10 Star of Richmond. Richmond. 1876.		11 Royal Charter. North Port Melbourne. 1877.		12 Prince of Wales. Williamstown. 1879.		13 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1881.		14 Belgravia. Footscray. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	378 19 0	5 13 5	171 18 2	0 7 4	149 1 3	−9 18 4	241 14 3	14 0 3½	168 4 2	−1 5 0	187 13 1	13 15 4	60 12 5	2 10 9
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	116 9 7½	133 0 7½	66 10 8	53 11 7	59 13 10	58 14 8	199 2 6	207 14 1	99 13 8	113 15 2	82 10 6	88 17 6	47 4 9	63 2 4½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	7 5 0	..	7 17 6	..	4 7 6	..	18 2 6	..	15 5 0	..	..	..	17 12 0
Interest	27 4 0	0 4 10	5 0 0	1 6 2	5 2 5	..	10 4 9	..	8 19 4	..	6 0 0	1 0 0	0 7 8	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 16 0	..	2 16 6	..	8 16 9	..	10 9 0	..	12 12 6	..	0 12 0	13 12 1½[2]	8 5 0
Total Receipts	143 13 7½	148 6 5½	71 10 8	65 11 9	64 16 3	71 18 11	209 7 3	236 5 7	108 13 0	141 12 8	88 10 6	90 9 6	61 4 6½	88 19 4½
Total	522 12 7½	153 19 10½	243 8 10	65 19 1	213 17 6	62 0 7	451 1 6	250 5 10½	276 17 2	140 7 8	276 3 7	104 4 10	121 16 11½	91 10 1½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	62 0 9	..	6 6 8	..	37 18 4	..	83 10 0	..	47 0 0	..	1 6 8	..	25 7 8	..
Medical attendance	..	85 1 6	..	37 0 2	..	48 18 0	..	141 2 6	..	87 6 7	..	54 19 5	..	49 6 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	21 10 0	22 13 9	7 12 0	9 11 3	7 16 0	10 3 9	25 4 0	33 1 3	10 11 0	14 17 6	10 12 0	13 7 6	5 0 0	5 14 6
Management	..	30 8 5	..	11 14 2	..	9 2 6	..	33 1 0	..	27 17 0	..	28 2 6	..	12 7 4
Other expenditure	..	2 13 3	..	2 10 3	..	3 3 6	..	11 4 0	..	6 0 9	..	0 12 0	..	9 8 3
Total Expenditure	83 10 9	140 16 11	13 18 8	60 15 10	45 14 4	71 7 9	108 14 0	218 8 9	57 11 0	136 1 10	11 18 8	97 1 5	30 7 8	76 16 3
Balance	439 1 10½	13 2 11½	229 10 2	5 3 3	168 3 2	−9 7 2	342 7 6	31 17 1½	219 6 2	4 5 10	264 4 11	7 3 5	91 9 3½	14 13 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	439 1 10½	12 3 1½	222 8 3	..	134 0 4	..	300 0 0	..	170 3 11	..	200 0 0	..	70 7 8	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	0 19 10	7 1 11	5 3 3	24 15 8	−9 7 2	42 7 6	31 17 1½	49 2 3	4 5 10	64 4 11	7 3 5	21 1 7½	14 13 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	9 7 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	59	63	35	32	39	34	91	107	37	43	52	49	19	24
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	5	..	..	..	2	12	8	9	3	..	..	1	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	16	20	7	13	8	14	30	51	9	43	2	4	5	15
Total	75	88	42	45	47	50	133	166	55	89	54	53	25	39
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	20		13		16		54		45		4		19	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		1[1]		..		1, £20		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	6		10		12		21		10		5		5	
Number of members sick	12		2		6		16		8		1		8	
Period of sickness	80 w. 4 d.		6 w. 2 d.		69 w. 1 d.		83 w. 3 d.		47 w.		1 w. 2 d.		25 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £10		..		1, £10		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation not paid.——[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges, £1; and error in previous balance-sheet, £12 12s. 1½d.

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS.

	15 Argyle. St. Kilda. 1885.		16 Wellington. Clifton Hill. 1886.		17 Gordon. Yarraville. 1886.		18 South Park. Albert Park. 1886.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Lodge Funds.		The Whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	46 0 3	−4 12 5	35 12 3	1 12 5	35 8 3	−12 8 0	8 1 9	..	5,548 12 2½	145 2 4	326 6 3	71 8 6	5,874 18 5½	216 10 10
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	38 13 9½	37 7 2½	62 17 7	65 17 5	34 17 8	43 18 4	79 15 3	75 17 3	1,480 17 0½	1,590 10 2	..	..	1,480 17 0½	1,590 10 2
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 10 0	7 16 0	..	5 5 6	..	1 5 0	..	7 15 0	6 10 0	124 2 9	..	..	6 10 0	124 2 9
Interest	1 6 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	292 11 0	9 4 0	5 9 7	..	298 0 7	9 4 0
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	186 5 0	234 2 0	186 5 0	234 2 0
Other receipts	..	4 19 6	..	2 8 6	..	6 2 3	..	16 1 6	13 12 1½	114 4 4½	5 12 0	63 9 10	19 4 1½	177 14 2½
Total Receipts	42 10 2½	50 2 8½	62 17 7	73 11 5	34 17 8	51 5 7	79 15 3	99 13 9	1,793 10 2	1,838 1 3½	197 6 7	297 11 10	1,990 16 9	2,135 13 1½
Total	88 10 5½	45 10 3½	98 9 10	75 3 10	70 5 11	38 17 7	87 17 0	99 13 9	7,342 2 4½	1,983 3 7½	523 12 10	369 0 4	7,865 15 2½	2,352 3 11½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	19 16 8	..	7 16 8	..	24 3 4	..	50 10 0	..	607 16 6	..	..	..	607 16 6	..
Medical attendance	..	24 5 0	..	39 14 0	..	33 11 0	..	55 6 0	..	1,082 7 8	..	..	..	1,082 7 8
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	180 0 0	..	180 0 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	4 11 0	6 3 9	8 5 0	10 12 6	4 7 0	5 3 9	7 2 0	10 17 6	186 5 0	234 2 0	..	..	186 5 0	234 2 0
Management	..	11 15 9	..	17 8 6	..	11 2 1	..	15 3 0	..	379 18 1	..	195 0 8	..	574 18 9
Other expenditure	..	5 1 6	..	2 13 3	..	..	..	1 8 3	0 15 0	67 13 11	40 0 0	71 18 10	40 15 0	139 12 9
Total Expenditure	24 7 8	47 6 0	16 1 8	70 8 3	28 10 4	49 16 10	57 12 0	82 14 9	794 16 6	1,764 1 8	220 0 0	266 19 6	1,014 16 6	2,031 1 2
Balance	64 2 9½	−1 15 8½	82 8 2	4 15 7	41 15 7	−10 19 3	30 5 0	16 19 0	6,547 5 10½	219 1 11½	303 12 10	102 0 10	6,850 18 8½	321 2 9½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	44 11 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,458 17 7	122 3 1½	..	..	5,458 17 7	122 3 1½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	100 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	17 15 7	−1 15 8½	82 8 2	4 15 7	30 16 4	−10 19 3	30 5 0	16 19 0	946 12 6½	96 18 10	203 12 10	102 0 10	1,150 5 4½	198 19 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	1 15 8½	..	..	..	10 19 3	..	..	..	41 15 9	..	..	..	41 15 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	13	17	22	34	8	16	17	29	..	..	..	..	709	773
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	7	5	19	5	3	4	22	12	..	..	..	..	94	70
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	16	20	12	11	5	27	25	..	..	..	..	186	282
Total	26	38	61	51	22	25	66	66	..	..	..	..	989	1,125
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	16		12		5		25		..		..		304 [1]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		10, £160	
Departures { Otherwise	4		22		2		25		..		..		158 [2]	
Number of members sick	4		4		5		12		..		..		129	
Period of sickness	19 w. 5 d.		7 w. 5 d.		24 w. 1 d.		50 w. 3 d.		..		..		696 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		3, £20	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Twenty-two of these were admitted by clearance.—[2] Twenty-seven of these left by clearance.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Melbourne. Melbourne. 1870.		2 Emerald Hill. South Melbourne. 1870.		3 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1871.		4 Richmond. Richmond. 1871.		5 Argyle. Port Melbourne. 1871.		6 Prahran. Prahran. 1871.		7 Carlton. Carlton. 1871.		8 Morang. North Morang. 1871.		9 St. Kilda. St. Kilda. 1871.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	168 14 8½	13 11 3	60 12 4	0 1 11	295 15 7½	249 18 11	147 18 2½	−32 1 3½	263 18 9	−34 13 5	276 7 10	76 3 11	333 13 10	97 13 9	223 6 8	−3 0 10	451 2 4	−8 6 10
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	21 15 9	23 12 9	54 15 10	68 3 8	212 7 2	218 14 8	41 5 1½	48 16 6	173 6 8	175 6 9	149 11 7	148 16 11	137 15 1½	111 12 3½	33 6 7	35 18 8	85 4 8	90 19 3
Special levies	..	1 19 0	1 19 0	13 14 0	..	..	..	13 4 0	..	10 2 0	..	19 4 6	..	24 11 4	..	6 6 0	..	15 3 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	..	8 9 0	0 13 0	9 15 6	..	1 10 0	..	3 5 0	0 17 0	15 4 6	..	2 10 6	..	1 17 6	0 4 6	3 17 6
Interest	7 10 0	1 15 0	..	..	25 0 3	..	2 0 0	..	..	13 0 0[4]	18 2 7	2 6 0	18 14 6	6 10 0	3 3 0	..	15 11 5	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 1 0	..	21 15 10	..	2 18 9	..	13 10 5	..	9 4 8	1 6 8[2]	8 11 8	..	6 16 0	..	0 10 6	..	5 18 6
Total Receipts	29 5 9	27 7 9	56 14 10	112 2 6	238 0 5	231 8 11	43 5 1½	77 0 11	173 6 8	210 18 5	169 17 10	194 3 7	156 9 7½	152 0 1½	36 9 7	44 12 8	101 0 7	115 18 3
Total	198 0 5½	40 19 0	117 7 2	112 4 5	533 16 0½	481 7 10	191 3 4	44 19 7½	437 5 5	176 5 0	446 5 8	270 7 6	490 3 5½	249 13 10½	259 16 3	41 11 10	552 2 11	107 11 5
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	4 0 0	..	44 6 1	..	126 16 8	..	63 10 2	..	107 6 8	..	48 7 10	..	163 1 10	..	33 0 0	..	48 5 11	..
Medical attendance	..	20 7 11	..	79 8 0	..	147 6 6	..	35 9 0	..	107 0 0	..	103 0 5	..	60 6 4	..	21 12 5	..	63 11 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	5 19 0	4 10 0	18 13 6	13 1 0	56 11 9	42 1 9	12 3 7	7 1 0	47 12 3	36 12 6	37 8 4	28 10 0	32 14 6	24 11 4	9 1 6	5 17 0	24 4 8	17 17 0
Management	..	7 5 0	..	19 9 6	..	57 5 0	..	26 2 4	..	35 18 0	..	42 1 0	..	53 0 9	..	13 4 6	..	27 7 3
Other expenditure	..	0 12 6	..	..	..	10 10 7	3 6 6[1]	..	..	5 2 9	..	3 0 3	..	14 5 3	..	1 7 0	..	0 16 4
Total Expenditure	9 19 0	32 15 5	62 19 7	111 18 6	183 8 5	257 3 10	79 0 3	68 12 4	154 18 11	184 13 3	85 16 2	176 11 8	195 16 4	152 3 8	42 1 6	42 0 11	72 10 7	109 11 10
Balance	188 1 5½	8 3 7	54 7 7	0 5 11	350 7 7½	224 4 0	112 3 1	−23 12 8½	282 6 6	−8 8 3	360 9 6	93 15 10	294 7 1½	97 10 2½	217 14 9	−0 9 1	479 12 4	−2 0 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	175 0 0	..	..	..	300 0 0	150 0 0	..	..	214 7 4	..	350 15 6	75 2 0	262 9 2	90 0 0	201 0 0	..	400 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	13 1 5½	8 3 7	54 7 7	0 5 11	50 7 7½	74 4 0	88 10 4½	−23 12 8½	59 10 11	−8 8 3	9 14 0	18 13 10	31 17 11½	7 10 2½	16 5 8	−0 9 1	77 11 11	−2 0 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	23 12 8½	..	8 8 3	..	..	..	..	..	0 9 1	..	2 0 5	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	15	15	44	37	131	141	21	27	120	109	87	92	81	78	17	17	56	54
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	1	..	6	3	3	..	7	10	13	12	3	7	..	2	1	7
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	2	..	13	3	16	5	1	2	3	6	7	..	5	2	3	6	5
Total	15	17	45	50	140	160	29	28	129	122	106	111	84	90	19	22	63	66
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	3		14		26		7		5		21		10		4		10	
Departures { By death	..		3, £60		1, £20		..		1, £20		..		1, £20		1, £20		£20[3]	
Departures { Otherwise	1		6		5		8		11		16		3		..		7	
Number of members sick	1		9		17		6		26		11		17		4		8	
Period of sickness	4 w.		135 w. 5 d.		131 w. 2 d.		68 w.		107 w. 2 d.		85 w. 4 d.		199 w. 2 d.		33 w.		52 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £10		1, £10		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[3] Funeral donation for 1887.—[4] Interest credited to the wrong fund.

	10 Fitzroy. Fitzroy. 1871.		11 Victoria. Melbourne. 1871.		12 Heather Bell. Stawell. 1871.		13 Oakleigh. Oakleigh. 1872.		14 Whittlesea. Whittlesea. 1872.		15 Kara Kara.[4] St. Arnaud. 1873.		16 Epping. Epping. 1874.		17 Wimmera.[5] Dooen. 1883.		18 Kensington.[6] Kensington. 1884.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	128 10 6	47 5 9	36 6 2	−9 11 3	282 6 1	24 1 9	223 16 11½	5 17 3½	113 2 0	−0 15 0	78 12 8½	−21 3 6½	270 1 2	−3 16 10	..	..	28 8 8	−11 13 8
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	44 2 11	41 9 11	37 9 9	39 14 4	43 11 8	43 12 5	25 5 0	25 5 0	39 16 11	37 14 11	..	..	68 13 5	65 16 5	5 15 7	5 15 7	..	..
Special levies	..	3 12 0	0 10 0	4 2 6	..	13 1 8	..	4 14 0	..	7 7 0	..	..	..	6 6 0	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 1 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	0 10 0	..	1 12 6	..	..
Interest	5 0 0	2 10 0	0 8 0	..	11 16 0	..	11 2 4	0 3 6	..	..	..	..	9 7 2	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 12 6	..	0 2 0	1 13 9[2]	1 12 0	..	5 7 6	..	17 16 1	..	21 3 6½	..	0 8 0	19 15 0	..	..	14 19 8
Total Receipts	49 4 5	48 4 5	38 7 9	43 18 10	57 1 5	58 6 1	36 7 4	36 18 0	39 16 11	62 18 0	..	21 3 6½	78 0 7	73 0 5	25 10 7	7 8 1	..	14 19 8
Total	177 14 11	95 10 2	74 13 11	34 7 7	339 7 6	82 7 10	260 4 3½	42 15 3½	152 18 11	62 3 0	78 12 8½	..	348 1 9	69 3 7	25 10 7	7 8 1	28 8 8	3 6 0
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	29 13 4	..	11 16 6	..	59 11 9	..	27 0 0	..	25 17 6	..	..	..	31 0 0	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	40 19 9	..	27 5 10	..	38 4 6	..	21 2 4	..	28 2 6	..	..	..	48 2 0	..	..	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Lodge dues	10 16 3	8 0 6	10 10 6	8 12 0	11 8 3	9 5 3	6 17 3	5 6 0	5 12 0	4 7 2	..	..	17 1 3	13 11 6	..	..	3 17 0	3 6 0
Management	..	21 0 11	..	6 14 6	..	11 3 1	..	7 0 0	..	12 0 0	..	..	..	15 17 0	..	2 12 0	..	..
Other expenditure	..	2 14 9	..	0 12 9	..	..	..	0 12 6	24 5 2[3]	4 3 6	78 12 8½[4]	..	..	0 15 0	..	..	24 11 8[6]	..
Total Expenditure	40 9 7	72 15 11	22 7 0	43 5 1	71 0 0	58 12 10	33 17 3	34 0 10	55 14 8	48 13 2	78 12 8½	..	48 1 3	78 5 6	..	2 12 0	28 8 8	3 6 0
Balance	137 5 4	22 14 3	52 6 11	−8 17 6	268 7 6	23 15 0	226 7 0½	8 14 5½	97 4 3	13 9 10	..	..	300 0 6	−9 1 11	25 10 7	4 16 1	..	..
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	130 0 0	20 0 0	..	..	251 0 0	..	186 11 1	..	97 4 3	13 9 10	..	..	243 1 2	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	7 5 4	2 14 3	43 9 5	−8 17 6	17 7 6	23 15 0	39 15 11½	8 14 5½	..	..	..	..	47 17 5	−9 1 11	25 10 7	4 16 1	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	8 17 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 1 11	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	23	23	27	26	27	26	15	16	27	25	14	..	44	44	6	6	7	..
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	3	5	..	1	1	4	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..
Total	29	26	32	26	28	27	19	18	28	25	15	..	44	45	6	6	13	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	..		..		..		2		..		..		3		..		..	
Departures — By death	2, £40		1, £20		..		..		..		..		1, £20		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	1		5		1		3		3		15		1		..		13	
Number of members sick	6		2		6		4		4		..		8		..		..	
Period of sickness	29 w. 4 d.		11 w. 5 d.		98 w. 3 d.		27 w.		69 w.		..		31 w.		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	1[1]		1, £10		..		..		..		..		2, £20		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Husband not entitled to benefits.——[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.——[3] Error in last year's balance-sheet.——[4] This lodge was closed in March, 1888, and the balance transferred to Grand Lodge.——[5] This lodge was closed and re-established in 1888.
[6] This lodge amalgamated with Hotham Lodge in July, 1888.

	19 Footscray. Footscray. 1884.		20 Nelson.[1] Williamstown. 1884.		21 Caulfield. Caulfield. 1885.		22 Federal. Melbourne. 1886.		23 Jubilee.[2] Hawksburn. 1887.		24 Moreland. Coburg. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Lodge Funds.		The Whole Society.	
Name of branch																		
Where situated																		
Year when established ..																		
	Sick and Funl. Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	99 15 8	7 1 5	41 5 10½	-34 0 6½	67 2 8	-16 7 1	32 14 1	17 19 3	5 1 1	6 1 5	..	..	3,628 13 11	370 6 4	801 5 9	17 18 2	4,429 19 8	388 4 6
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	60 11 2	59 7 2	8 0 0	7 0 0	29 2 10	31 2 10	31 14 4	31 6 5	..	..	5 19 6	9 2 0	1,309 11 7	1,319 8 5½	..	..	1,309 11 7	1,319 8 5½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	6 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 9 0	150 5 0	..	..	2 9 0	150 5 0
Initiation fees, &c.	0 4 6	5 12 6	..	..	0 2 6	7 1 0	0 1 0	1 2 6	..	..	0 9 0	7 4 6	2 13 0	71 0 6	..	..	2 13 0	71 0 6
Interest	2 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	1 10 0	0 9 10	..	..	..	..	131 5 3	26 14 4	43 4 7	2 0 0	174 9 10	28 14 4
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	348 5 4	259 17 3	348 5 4	259 17 3
Other receipts	..	1 10 6	..	35 10 6½	..	8 13 4	..	0 5 10	..	..	..	0 5 6	22 15 5	177 14 4	5 6 4	53 19 5	28 1 9	231 13 9
Total Receipts ..	62 15 8	66 10 2	8 0 0	42 10 6½	29 5 4	53 15 2	33 5 4	33 4 7	..	..	6 8 6	16 12 0	1,468 14 3	1,745 2 7½	396 16 3	315 16 8	1,865 10 6	2,060 19 3½
Total	162 11 4	73 11 7	49 5 10½	8 10 0	96 8 0	37 8 1	65 19 5	51 3 10	5 1 1	6 1 5	6 8 6	16 12 0	5,097 8 2	2,115 8 11½	1,198 2 0	333 14 10	6,295 10 2	2,449 3 9½
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	26 10 0	..	..[2]	..	8 0 0	..	8 10 0	..	..	..	1 1 0	..	867 15 3	..	..	..	867 15 3	..
Medical attendance	..	36 3 3	..	7 0 0	..	11 16 0	..	21 6 3	..	..	..	6 15 0	..	924 19 3	..	..	..	924 19 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	320 0 0	..	320 0 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	15 9 0	12 0 0	2 9 3	1 10 0	7 6 7	5 18 3	7 9 1	5 15 6	3 3 11	1 5 6	1 15 11	0 18 0	348 5 4	259 17 3	..	..	348 5 4	259 17 3
Management	..	15 12 8	..	..	..	16 0 7	..	6 14 0	..	..	..	2 10 0	..	398 18 1	..	220 8 0	..	619 6 1
Other expenditure	..	5 14 3	16 16 4½	..	..	..	..	1 6 6	1 17 2[3]	4 15 11[3]	..	1 3 6	149 9 7	57 13 4	..	111 19 0	149 9 7	169 12 4
Total Expenditure ..	41 19 0	69 10 2	19 5 7½	8 10 0	15 6 7	33 14 10	15 19 1	35 2 3	5 1 1	6 1 5	2 16 11	11 6 6	1,365 10 2	1,641 7 11	320 0 0	332 7 0	1,685 10 2	1,973 14 11
Balance	120 12 4	4 1 5	30 0 3	..	81 1 5	3 13 3	50 0 4	16 1 7	..	..	3 11 7	5 5 6	3,731 18 0	474 1 0½	878 2 0	1 7 10	4,610 0 0	475 8 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	52 0 0	..	..	..	40 5 0	..	50 0 4	15 14 4	..	..	3 11 7	5 5 6	2,957 5 5	369 11 8	766 3 4	..	3,723 8 9	369 11 8
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	68 12 4	4 1 5	30 0 3	..	40 16 5	3 13 3	..	0 7 3	..	..	..	..	722 2 8½	104 9 4½	111 18 8	1 7 10	834 1 4½	105 17 2½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52 9 10½	..	..	..	52 9 10½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beging. of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	33	42	5	5	14	19	19	21	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	833	832
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	8	2	..	..	11	4	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	74	54
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	9	..	..	2	5	1	2	10	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	49	78
Total	48	53	5	5	27	28	22	25	10	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	956	964
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	12		..		7		5		..		14		..		..		143[4]	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		12, £260	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	7		..		5		2		10		..		..		..		123[5]	
Number of members sick ..	9		..		3		2		..		1		..		..		144	
Period of sickness	26 w. 3 d.		..		8 w.		8 w. 3 d.		..		4 w.		..		..		1,130 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		7, £60	

NOTE.—The minus sign (–) signifies a debit balance.

[1] The particulars furnished for this lodge were very meagre.—[2] The members of this lodge have agreed not to claim sick pay.—[3] This lodge amalgamated in July, 1888, with Prahran Lodge.—[4] Eighteen of these were admitted by clearance.
[5] Six of these left by clearance.

ORDER OF ST. ANDREW.—SCOTTISH CONSTITUTION.

	1 Bendigo. Sandhurst. 1870.		2 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1870.		3 Geelong. Geelong. 1870.		4 Inglewood. Inglewood. 1871.		5 Caledonia. Castlemaine. 1871.		6 Pride of Scotia. Melbourne. 1874.		Total of Lodge Funds.		Grand Lodge Funds.		The Whole Society.	
Name of branch																		
Where situated																		
Year when established ..																		
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	806 17 5	28 17 2	814 9 3	90 7 11	217 12 7	208 12 10	128 8 11	−4 14 6	344 11 6	215 11 10	167 17 11	12 4 9	2,479 17 7	551 0 0	1,016 6 0	36 14 10	3,496 3 7	587 14 10
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	105 6 11	230 14 10	91 15 7	187 9 2	54 5 7	119 17 5	16 4 6	42 5 8	36 15 0	76 13 0	30 9 6	65 9 6	334 17 1	722 9 7	..	..	334 17 1	722 9 7
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	7 0 0	5 5 0	8 0 0	2 5 0	..	3 5 0	..	1 10 0	..	..	..	0 1 0	15 0 0	12 6 0	..	..	15 0 0	12 6 0
Interest	39 10 8	..	52 7 6	4 10 0	10 12 6	8 3 0	2 18 5	..	13 2 0	0 14 8	8 11 0	..	127 2 1	13 7 8	44 2 6	..	171 4 7	13 7 8
Grand Lodge dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	127 4 0	95 8 0	127 4 0	95 8 0
Other receipts	..	..	..	18 8 7	..	0 3 0	..	0 8 6	..	0 1 0	..	15 7 2	..	34 8 3	..	2 6 0	..	36 14 3
Total Receipts ..	151 17 7	235 19 10	152 3 1	212 12 9	64 18 1	131 8 5	19 2 11	44 4 2	49 17 0	77 8 8	39 0 6	80 17 8	476 19 2	782 11 6	171 6 6	97 14 0	648 5 8	880 5 6
Total	958 15 0	264 17 0	966 12 4	303 0 8	282 10 8	340 1 3	147 11 10	39 9 8	394 8 6	293 0 6	206 18 5	93 2 5	2,956 16 9	1,333 11 6	1,187 12 6	134 8 10	4,144 9 3	1,468 0 4
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	90 0 0	..	145 0 4	..	29 0 0	..	3 3 4	..	40 3 4	..	13 13 4	..	321 0 4	..	..	..	321 0 4	..
Medical attendance	..	115 14 3	..	90 19 10	..	59 11 9	..	..	..	33 5 0	..	34 17 9	..	334 8 7	..	..	..	334 8 7
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	170 0 0	..	170 0 0	..
Grand Lodge dues	..	68 15 6[2]	..	62 16 6[2]	..	35 0 0[2]	..	12 12 0[2]	..	23 19 6[2]	..	19 8 6[2]	..	222 12 0	..	..	..	222 12 0
Management	..	46 6 9	..	50 4 9	..	17 10 10	..	10 8 8	..	22 15 3	..	19 1 4	..	166 7 7	..	68 17 9	..	235 5 4
Other expenditure	0 17 6[1]	0 14 6	..	..	..	7 10 0	..	0 5 3	..	..	2 0 0[3]	8 17 1	2 17 6	17 6 10	..	6 17 11	2 17 6	24 4 9
Total Expenditure ..	90 17 6	231 11 0	145 0 4	204 1 1	29 0 0	119 12 7	3 3 4	23 5 11	40 3 4	79 19 9	15 13 4	82 4 8	323 17 10	740 15 0	170 0 0	75 15 8	493 17 10	816 10 8
Balance	867 17 6	33 6 0	821 12 0	98 19 7	253 10 8	220 8 8	144 8 6	16 3 9	354 5 2	213 0 9	191 5 1	10 17 9	2,632 18 11	592 16 6	1,017 12 6	58 13 2	3,650 11 5	651 9 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	843 0 7	..	800 0 0	95 0 0	202 10 0	182 0 0	101 1 7	..	354 5 2	164 15 5	176 17 0	..	2,477 14 4	441 15 5	938 3 0	..	3,415 17 4	441 15 5
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	24 16 11	33 6 0	21 12 0	3 19 7	51 0 8	38 8 8	43 6 11	16 3 9	..	48 5 4	14 8 1	10 17 9	155 4 7	151 1 1	79 9 6	58 13 2	234 14 1	209 14 3
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits ..	96	96	85	86	47	51	12	15	34	33	27	28	..	..	..	..	301	309
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	1	2	3	..	1	..	1	2	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	9	6
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	2	4	1	2	1	1	5	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	9
Total	99	102	89	88	49	52	18	19	35	34	30	29	..	..	..	..	320	324
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	8		3		5		3		..		1		..		..		20[4]	
Departures .. { By death ..	3, £60		2, £40		1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		6, £120	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	2		2		1		2		1		2		..		..		10	
Number of members sick ..	16		17		5		1		5		5		..		..		49	
Period of sickness	165 w. 2 d.		198 w. 2 d.		62 w. 3 d.		3 w. 1 d.		118 w. 1 d.		13 w. 4 d.		..		..		561 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	3, £30		2, £20		..		..		..		..		..		..		5, £50	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Including Grand Lodge Funeral dues, which, in this society, are paid out of the Incidental Fund.—[3] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[4] One of these was admitted by clearance.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

	1 Melbourne. Melbourne. 1862.		2 Brunswick and Coburg. Brunswick. 1870.		3 Collingwood.[4] Collingwood. 1874.		4 Carlton. North Carlton. 1875.		5 Prahran and St. Kilda. Prahran. 1875.		6 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1876.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	6,635 15 3	8,909 14 7	375 5 8	66 2 5	162 8 0	3 18 2	246 7 8	−2 6 7	216 18 6	−3 0 8	100 6 10	26 13 9
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	583 15 3	426 14 6	132 8 6	88 6 0	..	..	106 18 4	86 15 2	19 1 0	12 14 0	91 12 8	61 1 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	6 12 0	5 18 0	7 19 0	5 6 0	..	..	1 16 0	10 13 0	..	..	0 14 1	0 9 5
Interest	390 0 2	119 15 0	24 19 9	7 19 2	..	..	11 5 0	1 4 0	9 0 6	..	7 1 8	1 11 6
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1,088 13 6[1]	..	12 2 0	..	..	..	2 7 0	..	..	..	9 12 6
Total Receipts	980 7 5	1,641 1 0	165 7 3	113 13 2	..	..	119 19 4	100 19 2	28 1 6	12 14 0	99 8 5	72 15 3
Total	7,616 2 8	10,550 15 7	540 12 11	179 15 7	162 8 0	3 18 2	366 7 0	98 12 7	245 0 0	9 13 4	199 15 3	99 9 0
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	459 15 0	..	57 3 4	..	..	..	59 8 4	..	13 5 0	..	72 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	339 17 3	..	89 0 1	..	..	..	74 8 3	..	10 12 0	..	54 17 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	127 14 0	31 6 0	43 15 0[2]	..	..	0 18 6	24 8 6	5 16 6	4 0 0	1 0 0	20 5 0	5 0 0
Management	..	178 9 8	..	23 6 2	..	..	..	13 17 3	..	0 7 0	..	16 18 6
Other expenditure	..	119 3 5	..	..	162 8 0[4]	2 19 8	..	0 15 3	..	0 8 9	..	7 0 6
Total Expenditure	587 9 0	668 16 4	100 18 4	112 6 3	162 8 0	3 18 2	83 16 10	94 17 3	17 5 0	12 7 9	92 18 4	83 16 6
Balance	7,028 13 8	9,881 19 3	439 14 7	67 9 4	..	..	282 10 2	3 15 4	227 15 0	−2 14 5	106 16 11	15 12 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	6,781 7 4	..	433 0 0	66 0 0	..	..	225 0 0	..	204 15 6	..	93 11 8	15 1 6
Invested in halls	..	10,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	129 5 7	−118 0 9	6 14 7	1 9 4	..	..	57 10 2	3 15 4	20 5 1	−2 14 5	13 5 3	0 11 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	118 0 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 14 5	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.												
Entitled to benefits	278	277	59	88	22	..	49	60	11	10	55	41
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	39	47	4	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	13
Not entitled to benefits { New	9	10	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	4	1
Total	326	334	68	90	22	..	56	60	11	10	59	55
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	20		22		..		5		..		2	
Departures { By death	2, £40		..		..		1, £20		1, £20		2, £20[5]	
Departures { Otherwise	10		..		22		..		..		4	
Number of members sick	68		20		..		9		3		9	
Period of sickness	711 w. 3 d.		57 w. 1 d.		..		83 w. 4 d.		13 w. 2 d.		96 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £20[2]		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including £1,000 increased value given to hall.—[2] Including £10 for 1887.—[3] Including dues to the District Incidental Fund wrongly paid out of this fund.—[4] This branch amalgamated with No. 7 at the beginning of the year.—[5] Funeral donation for one member not paid.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	Abbotsford. Abbotsford. 1883.		Total of Branch Funds.		District Funds.		The Whole Society.		GEELONG AND WESTERN DISTRICT. 1 Geelong.[4] Geelong. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	251 15 5	−12 8 0	7,988 17 4	8,988 13 8	2,153 13 8	152 5 6	10,142 11 0	9,140 19 2	1,992 8 0½	60 0 0¾
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	131 1 5	87 7 8	1,064 17 2	762 19 2	..	..	1,064 17 2	762 19 2	199 18 1½	199 17 8½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	11 3 9	7 9 3	28 4 10	29 15 8	..	..	28 4 10	29 15 8	4 17 6	4 17 6
Interest	20 6 7	..	462 13 8	130 9 8	131 16 2	8 11 3	594 9 10	139 0 11	120 0 0	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	258 8 0	52 10 6	258 8 0	52 10 6	..	..
Other receipts	162 8 0[1]	10 8 3	162 8 0	1,123 3 3	..	9 19 3	162 8 0	1,133 2 6	..	34 5 4
Total Receipts	324 19 9	105 5 2	1,718 3 8	2,046 7 9	390 4 2	71 1 0	2,108 7 10	2,117 8 9	324 15 7½	239 0 6½
Total	576 15 2	92 17 2	9,707 1 0	11,035 1 5	2,543 17 10	223 6 6	12,250 18 10	11,258 7 11	2,317 3 8	299 0 7¼
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	92 3 4	..	754 8 4	..	..	..	754 8 4	..	185 8 4	..
Medical attendance	..	75 13 11	..	644 9 0	..	..	..	644 9 0	..	154 8 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	140 0 0	..	140 0 0	..	20 0 0	..
District dues	38 5 6	8 9 6	258 8 0	52 10 6	..	..	258 8 0	52 10 6	..	..
Management	..	26 8 1	..	259 6 8	..	81 8 6	..	340 15 2	..	62 10 7
Other expenditure	..	7 1 5	162 8 0	137 9 0	14 6 6	20 16 6	176 14 6	158 5 6	..	22 14 10
Total Expenditure	130 8 10	117 12 11	1,175 4 4	1,093 15 2	154 6 6	102 5 0	1,329 10 10	1,196 0 2	205 8 4	239 14 2
Balance	446 6 4	−24 15 9	8,531 16 8	9,941 6 3	2,389 11 4	121 1 6	10,921 8 0	10,062 7 9	2,111 15 4	59 6 5¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	421 10 7	..	8,159 5 1	81 1 6	2,300 0 0	120 0 0	10,459 5 1	201 1 6	2,111 15 4	59 6 5¼
Invested in halls	..	..	..	10,000 0 0	..	..	..	10,000 0 0	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	−24 15 9	227 0 8	−139 15 3	89 11 4	1 1 6	316 12 0	−138 13 9	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	24 15 9	..	145 10 11	..	..	..	145 10 11	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	723 19 7[2]	..	723 19 7	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.										
Entitled to benefits	47	79	..	..	..	..	521	555	167	170
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	3	..	..	..	..	49	65	17	17
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	22	..	..	..	..	30	33	4	4
Total	58	104	..	..	..	..	600	653	188	191
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	61		..		..		110[3]		7	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		..		7, £120		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	14		..		..		50		3	
Number of members sick	9		..		..		118		33	
Period of sickness	104 w. 1 d.		..		..		1,066 w.		323 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £20		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Transferred from No. 3 Branch on amalgamation.—[2] To the credit of the Benevolent Fund.—[3] Ten of these were admitted by amalgamation of two branches.—[4] Estimated figures.

HIBERNIAN-AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY.

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

	2 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1868.		18 Smythesdale. Smythesdale. 1870.		47 Bungaree. Bungaree. 1871.		177 St. Patrick's. Ormond. 1886.		Total of Branch Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Ballarat District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	101 16 10	351 11 8½	45 13 8	−16 15 11	266 4 7	−7 11 0	24 18 3	2 5 7	438 13 4	329 10 4½	804 10 2	−87 7 8	1,243 3 6	242 2 8½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	244 7 9	250 10 4½	8 17 0	18 17 6	20 6 7	31 0 3	12 10 2	22 5 0	286 1 6	322 13 1½	..	..	286 1 6	322 13 1½
Special levies	..	..	..	0 8 0	..	11 12 7	..	..	..	12 0 7	..	..	..	12 0 7
Initiation fees, &c.	19 17 3	19 17 3	..	..	..	..	..	2 8 0	19 17 3	22 5 3	..	..	19 17 3	22 5 3
Interest	3 15 0	16 2 6	..	..	9 4 0	..	..	..	12 19 0	16 2 6	27 10 0	..	40 9 0	16 2 6
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68 9 0	54 16 1	68 9 0	54 16 1
Other receipts	..	4 7 6	..	..	10 7 8[2]	19 3 0	0 10 0[4]	5 12 7	10 17 8	29 3 1	..	18 19 2	10 17 8	48 2 3
Total Receipts	268 0 0	290 17 7½	8 17 0	19 5 6	39 18 3	61 15 10	13 0 2	30 5 7	329 15 5	402 4 6½	95 19 0	73 15 3	425 14 5	475 19 9½
Total	369 16 10	642 9 4	54 10 8	2 9 7	306 2 10	54 4 10	37 18 5	32 11 2	768 8 9	731 14 11	900 9 2	−13 12 5	1,668 17 11	718 2 6
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	190 16 8	..	2 0 0	..	14 6 2	..	6 0 0	..	213 2 10	..	..	..	213 2 10	..
Medical attendance	..	152 16 4	..	9 12 6	..	23 17 0	..	12 11 4	..	198 17 2	..	..	..	198 17 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30 0 0	..	30 0 0	..
District dues	56 0 0	45 1 3	2 8 0	1 12 0	6 9 0	5 2 2	3 12 0	3 0 8	68 9 0	54 16 1	..	..	68 9 0	54 16 1
Management	..	63 3 0	..	8 19 0	..	27 5 1	..	9 1 0	..	108 8 1	..	66 8 6	..	174 16 7
Other expenditure	10 0 0[1]	3 19 6	..	..	..	4 14 6	5 4 7[2]	0 3 0	15 4 7	8 17 0	3 14 3	15 16 0	18 18 10	24 13 0
Total Expenditure	256 16 8	265 0 1	4 8 0	20 3 6	20 15 2	60 18 9	14 16 7	24 16 0	296 16 5	370 18 4	33 14 3	82 4 6	330 10 8	453 2 10
Balance	113 0 2	377 9 3	50 2 8	−17 13 11	285 7 8	−6 13 11	23 1 10	7 15 2	471 12 4	360 16 7	866 14 11	−95 16 11	1,338 7 3	264 19 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	80 0 0	345 0 0	..	..	239 0 5	..	..	..	319 0 5	345 0 0	700 0 0	..	1,019 0 5	345 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	33 0 2	32 9 3	32 8 9	−17 13 11	39 13 4	−6 13 11	23 1 10	7 15 2	128 4 1	15 16 7	70 18 0	−95 16 11	199 2 1	−80 0 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	17 13 11	..	6 13 11	..	..	..	24 7 10	..	95 16 11	..	120 4 9	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	150 0 0[3]	..	..	..	150 0 0	..	..	..	150 0 0
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	111	140	8	8	17	17	13	11	..	..	..	..	149	176
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	11	18	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	11	20
Not entitled to benefits { New	40	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	27
Total	162	185	8	8	17	17	13	13	..	..	..	..	200	223
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	42		..		..		..		..		..		42	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	18		..		..		..		..		..		18	
Number of members sick	29		1		5		2		..		..		37	
Period of sickness	218 w.		2 w.		16 w. 2 d.		6 w.		..		..		242 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation not yet received from District.—[2] Error in balance.—[3] Invested in hall.—[4] Donation.

HIBERNIAN-AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 St. Francis'. Melbourne. 1865.		4 St. Kilian's. Sandhurst. 1868.		8 St. Mary's. St. Kilda. 1869.		10 St. Mary's. Kyneton. 1869.		11 St. Joseph's. Collingwood. 1869.		12 St. Michael's. North Melbourne. 1869.		14 St. Patrick's. Port Fairy. 1869.		21 St. Patrick's. Warrnambool. 1869.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	721 6 5	246 13 7	1,107 13 1	328 5 11½	444 6 7	38 3 7	952 10 6½	0 5 5½	331 0 5	41 6 9	630 11 1	80 8 10	299 14 0	18 3 0	619 14 0	−18 12 6
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	545 1 6	650 14 8	300 0 3½	349 6 3½	233 15 2	284 13 2	86 6 3	109 17 3	157 0 3	183 13 3	403 12 0	484 0 6	45 18 3	52 19 5	43 9 6	43 9 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	25 2 5	..	10 16 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 10 0
Initiation fees, &c.	15 14 6	15 14 6	14 12 6	9 13 9	12 0 0	11 15 0	1 7 6	1 7 6	4 17 6	4 17 6	36 1 0	36 1 0	1 12 6	1 12 6	..	..
Interest	84 17 1	..	115 17 5	..	32 1 3	..	51 17 1	..	29 13 0	..	40 5 0	..	10 17 7	..	28 7 8	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	30 0 0[1]	13 5 0	30 0 0[1]	45 4 4	..	15 18 0	..	28 17 3	..	1 6 0	1 5 0[5]	14 17 0	..	0 15 0	..	23 14 2
Total receipts	675 13 1	679 14 2	460 10 2½	404 4 4½	277 16 5	337 8 7	139 10 10	150 18 0	191 10 9	189 16 9	481 3 0	534 18 6	58 8 4	55 6 11	71 17 2	73 13 8
Total	1,396 19 6	926 7 9	1,568 3 3½	732 10 4	722 3 0	375 12 2	1,092 1 4½	151 3 5½	522 11 2	231 3 6	1,111 14 1	615 7 4	358 2 4	73 9 11	691 11 2	55 1 2
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	434 3 4	..	390 11 8	..	260 6 8	..	68 0 0	..	135 19 2	..	329 1 8	..	17 10 0	..	23 16 8	..
Medical attendance	..	527 19 1	..	248 2 4	..	230 1 9	..	81 4 5	..	123 10 6	..	356 17 6	..	39 15 1	..	40 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	142 3 0	30 14 0	75 8 6	18 7 2	57 11 0	12 5 8	19 10 6	4 9 0	39 12 6	8 12 0	103 13 0	21 2 8	11 2 0	2 7 0	11 14 0	2 12 0
Management	..	160 11 11	..	59 0 8	..	61 1 6	..	54 19 11	..	40 13 0	..	93 10 8	..	14 15 9	..	12 9 2
Other expenditure	9 0 4[2]	19 6 6	..	22 13 3	..	10 16 7	..	4 9 3	..	5 13 6	..	13 4 0	..	1 0 0	23 13 8[7]	..
Total expenditure	585 6 8	738 11 6	466 0 2	348 3 5	317 17 8	314 5 6	87 10 6	145 2 7	175 11 8	178 9 0	432 14 8	484 14 10	28 12 0	57 17 10	59 4 4	55 1 2
Balance	811 12 10	187 16 3	1,102 3 1½	384 6 11	404 5 4	61 6 8	1,004 10 10½	6 0 10½	346 19 6	52 14 6	678 19 5	130 12 6	329 10 4	15 12 1	632 6 10	..
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	685 0 0	..	1,092 0 0	300 0 0	400 0 0	60 0 0	820 0 0	..	315 0 0	..	650 0 0	100 0 0	279 17 3	..	632 6 10	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	126 12 10	187 16 3	10 3 1½	84 6 11	4 5 4	1 6 8	184 10 10½	6 0 10½	31 19 6	52 14 6	28 19 5	30 12 6	49 13 1	15 12 1	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	57 8 10[3]	..	108 12 0[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 0 0[3]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	426	451	232	232	160	178	68	62	116	121	263	295	41	23	37	39
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	64	40	14	7	13	9	7	5	7	10	26	11	..	19	6	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	20	4	11	7	3	..	1	5	4	15	24	..	1	..	..
Total	496	511	250	250	180	190	75	68	128	135	304	330	41	43	43	39
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	47		26		19		1		11		58		4		1	
Departures — By death	9, £180		3, £60		1, £20		..		1, £20		2, £60[6]		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	23		23		8		8		3		30		2		5	
Number of members sick	65		72		31		15		17		59		7		10	
Period of sickness	701 w.		552 w.		298 w. 2 d.		68 w.		175 w. 2 d.		416 w. 1 d.		17 w. 3 d.		23 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	5, £50		£10[4]		2, £20		..		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral claims not paid.—[2] Error last year.—[3] Benevolent Fund, &c.—[4] Amount paid for 1887.—[5] Fines, *re* Sick Fund.—[6] Including £20 for 1887.—[7] Transferred to Incidental Fund to correct error.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	22 St. Monica's. Essendon. 1870.		25 St. Patrick's. South Brighton. 1870.		27 St. Brigid's. Fitzroy. 1870.		28 St. Mary's. Castlemaine. 1870.		33 SS. Peter and Paul. South Melbourne. 1870.		34 St. Ignatius. Richmond. 1870.		36 St. Mary's. Williamstown. 1870.		37 St. Ann's. Broadmeadows. 1870.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 186 3 11½	£ s. d. 6 11 11½	£ s. d. 106 18 11	£ s. d. −39 3 9	£ s. d. 809 0 6	£ s. d. 102 12 0	£ s. d. 237 1 3	£ s. d. 6 4 7½	£ s. d. 1,010 8 7	£ s. d. 44 19 10	£ s. d. 1,686 9 4	£ s. d. 109 7 7	£ s. d. 118 9 9	£ s. d. 24 12 4	£ s. d. 213 6 7	£ s. d. 2 16 6
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	43 14 9	52 5 9	35 0 0	60 8 6	241 6 7½	286 11 7½	80 11 9	95 17 3	276 5 4	328 16 10	441 14 11	543 18 8	152 0 0	183 19 6	32 6 2	38 7 8½
Special levies	..	1 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	11 5 9	11 5 9	0 19 0	0 19 0	16 7 6	16 7 6	4 15 0	5 0 0	36 7 0	11 12 0	25 4 7	25 4 7	8 7 6	8 7 6	0 17 6	1 2 6
Interest	9 0 0	..	..	..	50 10 0	..	15 18 0	..	68 5 0	..	103 8 4	20 0 0[8]	5 6 0	..	10 8 5	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	34 16 6	..	45 2 5[1]	50 0 0[3]	6 18 0	..	8 16 0	..	13 11 0	[2] 2 0 10[7]	37 9 1	..	13 12 6	..	..
Total Receipts	64 0 6	99 13 0	35 19 0	106 9 11	358 4 1½	309 17 1½	101 4 9	109 13 3	380 17 4	353 19 10	572 8 8	626 12 4	165 13 6	205 19 6	43 12 1	39 10 2½
Total	250 4 5½	106 4 11½	142 17 11	67 6 2	1,167 4 7½	412 9 1½	338 6 0	115 17 10½	1,391 5 11	398 19 8	2,258 18 0	735 19 11	284 3 3	230 11 10	256 18 8	42 6 8½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	14 16 8	..	13 10 0	..	232 10 0	..	54 0 0	..	218 0 0	..	219 5 0	..	96 0 0	..	32 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	35 0 0	..	46 5 0	..	203 10 0	..	69 6 4	..	256 9 6	..	456 19 6	..	157 6 3	..	27 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	13 16 6	2 7 8	11 13 0	2 11 8	62 11 6	13 3 0	20 8 0	4 5 4	79 9 6	16 7 8	106 15 6	83 9 0	37 12 6	7 16 4	7 10 6	1 13 8
Management	..	8 10 6	..	16 5 0	..	53 19 0	..	27 14 9	..	57 3 0	..	89 19 4	..	44 7 11	..	9 7 11
Other expenditure	..	19 6 0	52 18 2[1]	..	..	61 2 0	..	4 16 3	10 0 0[5]	28 13 5	..	8 15 7	..	6 3 7	..	..
Total Expenditure	28 13 2	65 4 2	78 1 2	65 1 8	295 1 6	331 14 0	74 8 0	106 2 8	307 9 6	358 13 7	326 0 6	639 3 5	133 12 6	215 14 1	39 10 6	38 6 7
Balance	221 11 3½	41 0 9½	64 16 9	2 4 6	872 3 1½	80 15 1½	263 18 0	9 15 2½	1,083 16 5	40 6 1	1,932 17 6	96 16 6	150 10 9	14 17 9	217 8 2	4 0 1½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	214 0 0	..	50 0 0	..	805 0 0	..	256 2 2	..	985 0 0	..	1,600 0 0	64 2 10	150 10 9	14 17 9	211 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	7 11 3½	41 0 9½	14 16 9	2 4 6	67 3 1½	80 15 1½	7 15 10	9 15 2½	98 16 5	40 6 1	332 17 6	32 13 8	..	..	6 8 2	4 0 1½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	1 7 8[2]	..	..	..	..	..	24 13 7[2]	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	24	33	30	34	180	186	60	55	190	218	288	314	106	110	22	24
Not entitled { Unfinancial	1	1	12	5	14	10	5	2	11	7	26	18	6	9	1	..
to benefits { New	2	11	3	1	3	12	1	7	13	21	14	15	4	3	..	..
Total	27	45	45	40	197	208	66	64	214	246	328	347	116	122	23	24
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	18		1		28		8		56		40		17		2	
Departures { By death	..		..		3, £40[4]		4, £80		4, £40[6]		1, £20		4, £80		1, £20	
Departures { Otherwise	..		6		14		6		20		20		7		..	
Number of members sick	7		4		38		9		39		53		20		3	
Period of sickness	14 w. 5 d.		13 w. 3 d.		238 w. 3 d.		92 w. 3 d.		219 w. 3 d.		279 w. 4 d.		174 w.		47 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1, £10		4, £40		3, £30		1, £10		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Benevolent Fund.—[3] Transferred from Incidental Fund.—[4] One member unfinancial.—[5] Sick pay advanced for other branches.—[6] Two members not entitled to benefits.—[7] Sick pay refunded.
[8] Rent of hall credited to wrong fund.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	40 St. Joseph's. Hawthorn. 1870.		41 St. Aliplus'. Oakleigh. 1871.		44 St. Patrick's. Daylesford. 1871.		49 St. Joseph's. Beechworth. 1871.		51 St. Peter's. Epping. 1871.		53 St. Mary's. Echuca. 1871.		55 St. Peter's. Seymour. 1887.	
Name of branch .. .. / Where situated .. .. / Year when established ..	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	338 5 10	12 2 4½	241 3 7	2 15 0	125 2 10	13 3 2	39 16 5½	78 10 1½	93 1 1	3 10 7	339 8 10½	13 11 7½	25 5 0	11 7 8
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	56 16 11	68 13 11	32 2 9	36 16 9	64 12 0	77 10 6	101 10 2½	137 12 4½	11 15 0	13 12 0	96 10 3	126 0 3	34 14 6	53 8 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 15 0	5 5 0	2 7 6	2 7 6	..	2 0 0	..	1 17 6	..	..	11 7 6	11 7 6	4 5 0	6 5 0
Interest	22 12 1	..	9 8 4	..	9 14 11	..	2 8 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	..	14 12 0	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	5 2 3	10 0 0[1]	6 9 3	..	4 13 0	..	5 6 0	..	1 12 10	..	5 17 0	..	4 6 6
Total Receipts ..	84 4 0	79 1 2	53 18 7	45 13 6	74 6 11	84 3 6	103 18 2½	148 7 10½	14 15 0	15 4 10	122 9 9	143 4 9	38 19 6	63 19 9
Total	422 9 10	91 3 6½	295 2 2	48 8 6	199 9 9	97 6 8	143 14 8	226 18 0	107 16 1	18 15 5	461 18 7½	156 16 4½	64 4 6	75 7 5
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	11 6 8	..	7 13 4	..	50 10 10	..	51 15 0	..	8 0 0	..	36 16 8	..	25 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	56 13 11	..	27 9 11	..	53 4 11	..	97 15 3	..	10 2 6	..	109 8 5	..	46 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	15 11 0	3 2 8	8 1 0	1 11 4	14 8 0	3 9 6	24 2 0	5 2 2	2 14 0	1 1 0	27 13 6	6 1 4	10 12 0	2 12 5
Management	..	17 4 0	..	9 18 9	..	19 2 0	..	34 12 8	..	6 0 0	..	30 1 6	..	13 0 0
Other expenditure	..	0 4 3	..	5 2 6	..	1 4 11	..	2 3 6	1 12 10[4]	..	..	9 15 3	..	12 5 0
Total Expenditure ..	26 17 8	77 4 10	15 14 4	44 2 6	64 18 10	77 1 4	75 17 0	139 13 7	12 6 10	17 3 6	64 10 2	155 6 6	36 2 0	74 2 5
Balance	395 12 2	13 18 8½	279 7 10	4 6 0	134 10 11	20 5 4	67 17 8	87 4 5	95 9 3	1 11 11	397 8 5½	1 9 10½	28 2 6	1 5 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	380 0 0	..	270 0 0	..	134 0 0	6 0 0	40 0 0	60 0 0	60 0 0	..	375 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	15 12 2	13 18 8½	9 7 10	4 6 0	0 10 11	14 5 4	27 17 8	27 4 5	35 9 3	1 11 11	22 8 5½	1 9 10½	28 2 6	1 5 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	7 14 0[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	37	45	20	23	48	44	53	70	9	9	66	73	..	26
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	1	3	..	7	5	5	1	1	..	4	4	..	6
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	1	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	8	10	31	3
Total	43	47	23	24	55	49	60	72	10	9	78	87	31	35
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	8		3		1		19		..		19		9	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		1[2]		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	4		1		7		7		1		10		5	
Number of members sick ..	6		4		10		7		2		11		4	
Period of sickness	11 w. 2 d.		7 w. 4 d.		53 w.		57 w. 3 d.		8 w.		36 w. 5 d.		25 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		1, £10		..		..		..	

[1] Funeral donation for 1887.—[2] Funeral donation not paid.—[3] Benevolent Fund.—[4] Transferred to Incidental Fund.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	59 St. Joseph's. Benalla. 1872.		69 St. Patrick's. Stawell. 1872.		77 St. Patrick's. Kilmore. 1873.		78 St. Joseph's. Rochester. 1887.		79 St. Ambrose's Woodend. 1873.		83 St. Peter's. Wandilligong. 1873.		84 St. Mary's. Sale. 1874.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	59 9 7	−2 7 7	87 7 1	−1 2 7	365 15 9	242 8 1	20 12 0	13 13 0	190 17 6	10 18 4	174 5 4	112 3 11	244 2 4	6 19 2
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	28 11 1	40 4 11	30 7 2	56 9 3	76 13 7	76 13 5	29 16 3	61 7 5	31 4 6	35 4 6	28 18 0	55 2 1	38 6 3	54 9 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	11 9 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 10 0	4 10 0	3 12 6	4 7 6	1 15 0	2 0 0	9 12 6	21 17 6	1 15 0	1 15 0	..	0 5 0	2 7 6	2 7 6
Interest	..	..	2 15 0	..	19 5 1	12 1 3	..	..	8 15 0	..	7 16 0	6 0 0	7 12 3	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 15 3	..	0 15 0	0 11 8[2]	5 9 2	..	80 19 0	..	2 10 9	..	3 10 0	..	0 19 3
Total Receipts	33 1 1	52 10 2	36 14 8	61 11 9	98 5 4	107 12 10	39 8 9	164 3 11	41 14 6	39 10 3	36 14 0	64 17 1	48 6 0	57 16 6
Total	92 10 8	50 2 7	124 1 9	60 9 2	464 1 1	350 0 11	60 0 9	177 16 11	232 12 0	50 8 7	210 19 4	177 1 0	292 8 4	64 15 8
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	8 0 0	..	60 19 2	..	36 13 4	..	1 5 8	..	11 10 0	..	8 3 4	..	28 6 8	..
Medical attendance	..	35 18 9	..	36 14 0	..	60 5 6	..	53 0 0	..	36 7 6	..	40 6 3	..	40 2 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	9 12 0	2 18 5	8 4 0	1 14 8	17 16 0	3 19 8	9 4 0	2 18 0	7 1 0	2 4 10	7 10 0	1 16 8	9 7 0	3 4 8
Management	..	28 14 6	..	23 4 6	..	47 18 1	..	3 0 0	..	9 8 9	..	14 15 6	..	9 3 0
Other expenditure	2 1 0[1]	3 19 8	..	0 5 6	..	2 8 1	..	13 10 11	..	..	..	4 19 3	..	5 15 0
Total Expenditure	19 13 0	71 11 4	69 3 2	61 18 8	54 9 4	114 11 4	10 9 8	72 8 11	18 11 0	48 1 1	15 13 4	61 17 8	37 13 8	58 4 11
Balance	72 17 8	−21 8 9	54 18 7	−1 9 6	409 11 9	235 9 7	49 11 1	105 8 0	214 1 0	2 7 6	195 6 0	115 3 4	254 14 8	6 10 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	36 18 4	..	409 11 9	235 9 7	..	100 0 0	200 0 0	..	145 0 0	100 0 0	225 2 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	51 8 11	−21 8 9	16 10 9	−1 9 6	..	..	49 11 1	5 8 0	14 1 0	2 7 6	50 6 0	15 3 4	29 12 8	6 10 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	21 8 9	..	1 9 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	26	29	23	19	54	55	3	15	24	21	26	20	27	27
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	2	3	8	5	..	21	..	5	..	5	2	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	1	..	5	3	..	29	15	..	1	..	..	1	3
Total	29	30	25	27	65	60	32	51	24	27	26	25	30	33
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	7		5		3		23		3		..		4	
Departures { By death	2, £40		1, £20		1[3]		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	4		2		7		4		..		1		1	
Number of members sick	4		4		6		1		4		2		5	
Period of sickness	8 w.		63 w. 5 d.		36 w. 4 d.		1 w. 2 d.		11 w. 3d.		8 w. 1 d.		28 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

Error in balance.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other branches.—[3] Funeral donation not yet paid.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	92 St. Mary's. Dandenong. 1874.		94 St. Mary's. Hamilton. 1874.		113 St. Bernard's. St. Arnaud. 1883.		125 St. Paul's. Coburg. 1876.		160 St. Patrick's.[4] Tatura. 1883.		164 St. Patrick's. Tungamah. 1884.		165 St. Michael's. Euroa. 1884.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	188 17 2	31 8 8	168 19 11½	6 7 4½	9 14 8	−6 10 1	81 15 9½	75 2 0½	73 12 6	−20 8 9	63 7 2	−29 7 0	39 17 1	10 10 3
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	42 7 8	50 13 2	40 3 9½	53 1 3½	19 9 3	35 15 9	143 11 4½	178 5 4½	..	..	47 4 9	53 6 9	13 2 0	15 16 0
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 15 0	2 15 0	5 7 6	5 7 6	..	1 12 6	14 5 0	16 5 0	..	..	4 17 6	4 17 6	1 0 0	2 0 0
Interest	7 10 0	..	4 5 2	..	..	..	9 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	2 5 6	1 5 4[1]	1 6 10	..	0 0 6	..	20 11 0	..	21 1 9	..	4 13 6	..	..
Total Receipts	52 12 8	55 13 8	51 1 9½	59 15 7½	19 9 3	37 8 9	166 16 4½	215 1 4½	..	21 1 9	52 2 3	62 17 9	14 2 0	17 16 0
Total	241 9 10	87 2 4	220 1 9	66 3 0	29 3 11	30 18 8	248 12 2	290 3 5	73 12 6	0 13 0	115 9 5	33 10 9	53 19 1	28 6 3
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	17 3 4	..	97 1 8	..	22 13 4	..	143 0 0	..	..	..	11 0 0	..	3 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	23 12 5	..	36 10 10	..	22 0 6	..	132 16 0	..	..	..	23 1 0	..	17 18 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	10 7 6	2 1 8	11 16 6	2 11 4	3 6 0	1 3 8	39 0 6	8 1 8	2 14 0	0 13 0	12 1 6	2 6 4	4 3 6	0 16 4
Management	..	9 2 6	..	22 16 10	..	5 5 7	..	31 6 1	..	..	..	27 4 0	..	4 5 6
Other expenditure	..	7 11 0	..	3 7 0	..	..	..	16 10 0	70 18 6[4]	..	..	0 3 6	..	0 4 6
Total Expenditure	27 10 10	42 7 7	108 18 2	65 6 0	25 19 4	28 9 9	182 0 6	188 13 9	73 12 6	0 13 0	23 1 6	52 14 10	7 3 6	23 4 4
Balance	213 19 0	44 14 9	111 3 7	0 17 0	3 4 7	2 8 11	66 11 8	101 9 8	..	..	92 7 11	−19 4 1	46 15 7	5 1 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	200 0 0	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	66 11 8	93 8 4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	13 19 0	44 14 9	11 3 7	0 17 0	3 4 7	2 8 11	..	8 1 4	..	..	73 3 10	−19 4 1	46 15 7	5 1 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19 4 1	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	8 13 9[2]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	28	28	32	29	13	10	92	104	11	..	37	29	11	11
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	4	1	..	3	10	6	17	15	8	..	..	3	..	..
Not entitled to benefits: New	..	2	1	2	..	..	4	9	1	..	1	6	1	2
Total	32	31	33	34	23	16	113	128	20	..	38	38	12	13
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	4		8		..		24		..		6		2	
Departures: By death	..		..		..		1, £40[3]		..		1, £20		..	
Departures: Otherwise	5		7		7		8		20		5		1	
Number of members sick	6		11		3		30		..		3		1	
Period of sickness	17 w. 1 d.		110 w. 5 d.		43 w. 4 d.		143 w. 2 d.		..		11 w.		3 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Error in balance.—[2] Benevolent Fund.—[3] Including £20 for 1887.—[4] This branch was closed in 1889; no particulars were supplied of the expenditure of the balance, as the late secretary destroyed the branch books.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	169 St. George's. Carlton. 1885.		171 St. Monica's.[1] Footscray. 1885.		173 St. Mary's. Bairnsdale. 1885.		175 St. John's. Mitcham. 1886.		176 St. Bridget's. Nunawading. 1886.		178 St. Martin's. Muskerry. 1886.		179 St. Monica's. Kyabram. 1887.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 64 5 7	£ s. d. 3 5 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 63 3 5	£ s. d. 4 6 2	£ s. d. 44 5 0	£ s. d. 9 13 7	£ s. d. 31 1 2	£ s. d. 9 9 3	£ s. d. 24 15 0	£ s. d. 21 1 6	£ s. d. 13 10 6	£ s. d. 11 15 10
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	54 16 3	65 3 3	61 14 3	69 8 3	33 1 3	46 1 3	31 10 6	37 16 6	25 1 0	28 18 0	28 5 6	32 14 6	30 5 9	40 12 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26 5 6
Initiation fees, &c.	5 13 9	5 13 9	6 2 6	6 2 6	2 12 6	2 12 6	1 17 6	1 17 6	0 12 6	0 12 6	0 5 0	..	4 10 0	5 15 0
Interest	..	..	3 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 18 0	65 0 0[2]	67 5 7	..	13 17 5	..	1 3 3	..	1 13 6	..	0 14 6	..	34 4 3
Total Receipts	60 10 0	72 15 0	135 16 9	142 16 4	35 13 9	62 11 2	33 8 0	40 17 3	25 13 6	31 4 0	28 10 6	33 9 0	34 15 9	106 17 6
Total	124 15 7	76 0 8	135 16 9	142 16 4	98 17 2	66 17 4	77 13 0	50 10 10	56 14 8	40 13 3	53 5 6	54 10 6	48 6 3	118 13 4
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	32 16 8	..	29 6 8	..	7 16 8	..	19 16 8	..	8 8 0	..	5 3 4	..	6 3 4	..
Medical attendance	..	43 10 9	..	70 11 3	..	36 14 4	..	25 9 9	..	21 5 3	..	23 2 0	..	50 3 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District dues	14 4 6	2 14 4	17 11 0	3 8 0	9 19 0	1 16 0	8 13 6	1 16 0	6 2 0	1 6 4	7 3 6	1 9 8	7 15 6	2 3 4
Management	..	19 5 6	..	19 15 8	..	10 6 7	..	9 9 0	..	6 7 4	..	0 18 9	..	19 8 7
Other expenditure	..	7 16 5	..	15 3 6	..	15 6 9	..	..	..	..	..	12 0 0	..	30 19 3
Total Expenditure	47 1 2	73 7 0	46 17 8	108 18 5	17 15 8	64 3 8	28 10 2	36 14 9	14 10 0	28 18 11	12 6 10	37 10 5	13 18 10	102 14 11
Balance	77 14 5	2 13 8	88 19 1	33 17 11	81 1 6	2 13 8	49 2 10	13 16 1	42 4 8	11 14 4	40 18 8	17 0 1	34 7 5	15 18 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	77 14 5	2 13 8	88 19 1	33 17 11	81 1 6	2 13 8	49 2 10	13 16 1	42 4 8	11 14 4	40 18 8	17 0 1	34 7 5	15 18 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	30	36	45	52	24	19	21	20	21	20	28	21	..	21
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	23	9	7	..	7	10	6	6	..	..	..	3	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	5	3	1	9	1	1	2	4	1	..	1	..	17	3
Total	48	48	53	61	32	30	29	30	22	20	29	24	17	24
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	10		11		5		5		1		..		8	
Departures { By death	..		1[3]		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	10		2		7		4		3		5		1	
Number of members sick	7		5		2		6		3		3		2	
Period of sickness	32 w. 5 d.		29 w. 2 d.		7 w. 5 d.		19 w. 5 d.		8 w. 3 d.		5 w. 1 d.		6 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] The affairs of this branch have been greatly mismanaged, and no complete returns were furnished prior to the latter half of the year 1888.—[2] Balance at beginning of June quarter, 1888.—[3] Not entitled to benefits.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	180 St. James'. Elsternwick. 1887.		194 St. Aloysius'. Strathmerton. 1888.		Total of Branch Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Melbourne District.		Total of Ballarat District.		The Whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	15 3 0	23 2 10	..	..	12,701 16 3	1,660 5 11½	5,213 8 4	300 11 1	17,915 4 7	1,960 17 0½	1,243 3 6	242 2 8½	19,158 8 1	2,202 19 9
Receipts.														
Contributions	41 6 9	73 0 9	13 19 6	16 2 6	4,406 0 9½	5,439 1 4	..	..	4,406 0 9½	5,439 1 4	286 1 6	322 13 1½	4,692 2 3½	5,761 14 5½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	81 7 11	..	..	..	81 7 11	..	12 0 7	..	93 8 6
Initiation fees, &c.	10 13 6	10 18 6	23 7 6	23 7 6	320 16 7	317 2 10	..	..	320 16 7	317 2 10	19 17 3	22 5 3	340 13 10	339 8 1
Interest	..	..	..	..	788 5 8	41 13 3	371 5 10	..	1,159 11 6	41 13 3	40 9 0	16 2 6	1,200 0 6	57 15 9
District dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,153 0 6	313 13 8	1,153 0 6	313 13 8	68 9 0	54 16 1	1,221 9 6	368 9 9
Other receipts	..	109 6 3	..	23 19 6	190 2 10	743 8 10	0 9 0	328 11 8	190 11 10	1,072 0 6	10 17 8	48 2 3	201 9 6	1,120 2 9
Total Receipts	52 0 3	193 5 6	37 7 0	63 9 6	5,705 5 10½	6,622 14 2	1,524 15 4	642 5 4	7,230 1 2½	7,264 19 6	425 14 5	475 19 9½	7,655 15 7½	7,740 19 3½
Total	67 3 3	216 8 4	37 7 0	63 9 6	18,407 2 1½	8,283 0 1½	6,738 3 8	942 16 5	25,145 5 9½	9,225 16 6½	1,668 17 11	718 2 6	26,814 3 8½	9,943 19 0½
Expenditure.														
Sick pay	6 6 8	..	..	..	3,295 17 10	..	..	..	3,295 17 10	..	213 2 10	..	3,509 0 8	..
Medical attendance	..	48 2 0	..	13 15 0	..	4,191 19 3	..	..	..	4,191 19 3	..	198 17 2	..	4,390 16 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	930 0 0	..	930 0 0	..	30 0 0	..	960 0 0	..
District dues	16 4 6	6 2 2	9 10 6	1 2 8	1,153 0 6	313 13 8	..	..	1,153 0 6	313 13 8	68 9 0	54 16 1	1,221 9 6	368 9 9
Management	..	11 5 0	..	13 18 6	..	1,281 8 8	..	306 13 4	..	1,588 2 0	..	174 16 7	..	1,762 18 7
Other expenditure	..	122 17 1	..	17 11 6	170 4 6	517 4 3	..	441 4 4	170 4 6	958 8 7	18 18 10	24 13 0	189 3 4	983 1 7
Total Expenditure	22 11 2	188 6 3	9 10 6	46 7 8	4,619 2 10	6,304 5 10	930 0 0	747 17 8	5,549 2 10	7,052 3 6	330 10 8	453 2 10	5,879 13 6	7,505 6 4
Balance	44 12 1	28 2 1	27 16 6	17 1 10	13,787 19 3½	1,978 14 3½	5,808 3 8	194 18 9	19,596 2 11½	2,173 13 0½	1,338 7 3	264 19 8	20,934 10 2½	2,438 12 8½
Disposal of Funds.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	11,788 0 9	1,133 18 6	5,808 0 0	194 18 9	17,596 4 5	1,328 17 3	1,019 0 5	345 0 0	18,615 4 10	1,673 17 3
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	44 12 1	28 2 1	27 16 6	17 1 10	1,957 16 2½	844 15 9½	..	..	1,957 16 2½	844 15 9½	199 2 1	−80 0 4	2,156 18 3½	764 15 5½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	42 2 4	..	..	..	42 2 4	..	120 4 9	..	162 7 1	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	209 9 10	..	..	..	209 9 10	..	150 0 0	..	359 9 10
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	2	40	..	27	..	..	..	..	3,054	3,318	149	176	3,203	3,494
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	317	272	11	20	328	292
Not entitled to benefits { New	28	7	..	2	..	..	..	..	224	225	40	27	264	252
Total	30	50	..	30	..	..	..	..	3,595	3,815	200	223	3,795	4,038
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.														
Admitted	21		30		..		..		576		42		618 [1]	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		41, £740		1, £20		42, £760	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		..		..		315		18		333 [2]	
Number of members sick	4		..		..		..		605		37		642	
Period of sickness	6 w. 2 d.		..		..		..		4,134 w. 2 d.		242 w. d.		4,376 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		18, £190		1, £10		19, £200	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Seventy-four of these were admitted by clearance.—[2] Seventy-two of these left by clearance.

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

	1 Buninyong. Buninyong. 1856.		2 Ballarat. Ballarat East. 1856.		3 Victoria. Ballarat. 1859.		4 Prince of Wales. Creswick. 1859.		5 Hand of Friendship. Ballarat East. 1861.		6 Linton. Linton. 1861.		7 Smythesdale. Smythesdale. 1861.		8 Good Samaritan. Carngham. 1861.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 2,330 17 0	£ s. d. 0 4 8	£ s. d. 11,815 18 5	£ s. d. 591 13 8	£ s. d. 2,240 11 0	£ s. d. 133 1 8	£ s. d. 2,329 10 1	£ s. d. 10 1 0	£ s. d. 4,048 1 3	£ s. d. 214 15 4	£ s. d. 1,729 11 4	£ s. d. 40 16 7	£ s. d. 1,271 2 3	£ s. d. 12 17 3	£ s. d. 1,614 14 9	£ s. d. 37 6 5
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	78 8 7	92 2 4	742 0 4	724 4 7	176 6 9	193 11 9	107 18 1	119 17 3	159 12 4	178 5 3	79 8 4	89 10 2	63 19 9	73 3 7	107 7 1	111 9 5
Special levies	..	5 4 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 3 6	..	12 8 6	..	8 2 0	..	3 13 6	..	5 7 6	..	..	..	..	..	1 1 0
Interest	125 10 0	..	748 5 10	..	111 9 0	..	110 12 6	0 6 0	273 16 7	13 12 0	87 4 4	1 10 0	57 10 2	..	22 8 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 10 10	..	21 11 0	..	3 15 10	..	11 18 6	..	14 14 6	..	1 17 0	..	3 19 6	..	5 10 4
Total Receipts	203 18 7	99 0 8	1,490 6 2	758 4 1	287 15 9	205 9 7	218 10 7	135 15 3	433 8 11	211 19 3	166 12 8	92 17 2	121 9 11	77 3 1	129 15 1	118 0 9
Total	2,534 15 7	99 5 4	13,306 4 7	1,349 17 9	2,528 6 9	338 11 3	2,548 0 8	145 16 3	4,481 10 2	426 14 7	1,896 4 0	133 13 9	1,392 12 2	90 0 4	1,744 9 10	155 7 2
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	159 11 8	..	788 12 6	..	187 14 2	..	224 8 1	..	107 3 4	..	69 6 8	..	101 3 4	..	161 8 11	..
Medical attendance	..	59 12 6	..	484 2 10	..	112 6 11	..	69 3 3	..	116 9 2	..	67 1 0	..	44 1 0	..	73 14 11
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	15 4 9	11 11 9	127 1 5	96 16 9	29 7 8	22 8 0	19 3 5	14 12 9	28 17 11	22 1 3	14 7 1	10 18 9	9 16 4	7 9 0	19 11 9	14 17 9
Management	..	25 3 8	..	216 4 0	..	47 12 0	..	37 15 0	..	70 4 6	..	21 12 10	..	30 16 3	..	28 19 0
Other expenditure	..	1 0 0	11 1 0 [1]	26 16 8	8 0 0 [4]	24 10 10	..	11 12 7	..	9 8 2	..	1 1 0	..	1 3 8	..	7 19 1
Total Expenditure	174 16 5	97 7 11	926 14 11	824 0 3	225 1 10	206 17 9	243 11 6	133 3 7	136 1 3	218 3 1	83 13 9	100 13 7	110 19 8	83 9 11	181 0 8	125 10 9
Balance	2,359 19 2	1 17 5	12,379 9 8	525 17 6	2,303 4 11	131 13 6	2,304 9 2	12 12 8	4,345 8 11	208 11 6	1,812 10 3	33 0 2	1,281 12 6	6 10 5	1,563 9 2	29 16 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	2,300 0 0	..	11,240 2 0	..	2,215 0 0	100 0 0	2,292 11 0	..	4,333 0 0	200 0 0	1,700 0 0	..	1,261 17 2	..	1,563 1 10	29 2 0
Invested in halls	..	..	948 3 11	500 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	59 19 2	1 17 5	191 3 9	25 17 6	88 4 11	31 13 6	11 18 2	12 12 8	12 8 11	8 11 6	112 10 3	33 0 2	19 15 4	6 10 5	0 7 4	0 14 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	54	50	442	448	103	100	68	66	93	102	51	51	40	38	68	66
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	5	30	26	16	17	4	2	6	4	2	1	4	4	2	2
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	..	13	10	5	4	1	5	2	3	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total	56	55	485	484	124	121	73	73	101	109	53	52	44	42	71	69
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	3		27		14		6		11		..		..		2	
Departures { By death	1, £20		10, £180 [2]		1, £20		1, £40 [5]		..		..		..		2, £20 [2]	
Departures { Otherwise	3		18		16		5		3		1		2		2	
Number of members sick	16		102		22		27		21		16		12		22	
Period of sickness	207 w. 2 d.		1,098 w. 3, £20 [3]		315 w. 1 d.		265 w. 4 d.		107 w. 1 d.		69 w. 2 d.		127 w. 1 d.		228 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other lodges, and funeral donation advanced, £10.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] Funeral donation for one wife not yet received from District.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[5] Including £20 for 1887.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	9 North Star. Ballarat. 1862.		10 Beaufort. Beaufort. 1864.		11 Sir Charles Darling. Mount Egerton. 1866.		12 Prince Alfred. Sebastopol. 1867.		13 Peace and Plenty. Creswick. 1870.		14 Blackwood. Barry's Reef. 1874.		15 Kerrit Bareet. Gordon. 1882.		16 District Members. Ballarat East. 1873.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 3,243 17 11	£ s. d. 118 12 2	£ s. d. 1,658 11 10	£ s. d. 100 0 8	£ s. d. 516 10 9	£ s. d. 28 13 9	£ s. d. 630 12 6	£ s. d. 27 1 4	£ s. d. 628 10 4	£ s. d. 17 0 1½	£ s. d. 66 2 8½	£ s. d. 46 6 7	£ s. d. 71 3 9	£ s. d. −0 12 3	£ s. d. 118 8 3	£ s. d. 3 10 0
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	188 2 7	182 15 9	124 2 11	146 7 5	118 5 4	127 5 10	126 12 5	108 15 2	152 7 5	172 8 8	68 4 2	45 11 10	37 0 5	25 11 5	2 6 3	2 12 9
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 0 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	7 9 0	..	6 18 0	..	3 17 6	..	4 4 0	..	3 3 0	..	3 13 6	..	1 1 0	..	..
Interest	169 18 0	2 12 3	85 4 0	5 0 0	21 4 3	..	24 3 0	..	31 2 8	..	2 4 0	1 7 0	2 2 4	..	0 15 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 7 6	..	5 15 5	8 3 4[1]	3 8 0	..	5 12 6	..	6 15 2	..	1 9 6	..	2 4 6	..	..
Total Receipts	358 0 7	193 4 6	209 6 11	164 0 10	147 12 11	134 11 4	150 15 5	118 11 8	183 10 1	182 6 10	70 8 2	52 1 10	39 2 9	34 16 11	3 1 3	2 12 9
Total	3,601 18 6	311 16 8	1,867 18 9	264 1 6	664 3 8	163 5 1	781 7 11	145 13 0	812 0 5	199 6 11½	136 10 10½	98 8 5	110 6 6	34 4 8	121 9 6	6 2 9
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	162 12 2	..	69 13 7	..	24 6 8	..	102 14 5	..	215 0 6	..	44 3 4	..	19 13 2	..	5 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	108 15 9	..	115 3 9	..	96 3 11	..	65 4 11	..	113 16 3	..	29 6 9	..	14 19 0	..	0 10 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	32 1 8	24 10 0	21 14 7	16 11 3	20 9 5	15 10 9	20 6 8	15 10 0	28 4 10	21 9 6	9 4 9	7 1 9	6 1 0	4 13 0	0 11 2	0 8 6
Management	..	45 5 0	..	25 3 0	..	27 15 6	..	28 0 0	..	34 15 6	..	14 16 2	..	13 13 2	..	..
Other expenditure	..	10 1 4	..	5 11 7	..	5 17 6	..	9 9 4	..	1 15 6	..	4 3 3	..	0 19 5	..	..
Total Expenditure	194 13 10	188 12 1	91 8 2	162 9 7	44 16 1	145 7 8	123 1 1	118 4 3	243 5 4	171 16 9	53 8 1	55 7 11	25 14 2	34 4 7	6 1 2	0 19 0
Balance	3,407 4 8	123 4 7	1,776 10 7	101 11 11	619 7 7	17 17 5	658 6 10	27 8 9	568 15 1	27 10 2½	83 2 9½	43 0 6	84 12 4	0 0 1	115 8 4	5 3 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	1,905 0 0	100 0 0	1,675 0 0	100 0 0	567 6 0	..	654 13 0	..	562 0 0	..	70 0 0	38 7 0	55 16 5	..	106 17 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	1,502 4 8	23 4 7	101 10 7	1 11 11	52 1 7	17 17 5	3 13 10	27 8 9	6 15 1	27 10 2½	13 2 9½	4 13 6	28 15 11	0 0 1	8 10 10	5 3 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possesed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	102	116	70	75	70	71	66	73	103	100	29	32	20	17	2	2
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	14	8	5	5	1	2	..	2	1	5	5	2	8	5	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	3	7	6	1	..	7	2	..	..	..	6	1	2	..	..
Total	119	127	82	86	72	73	73	77	104	105	34	40	29	24	2	2
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	14		11		6		8		5		8		2		..	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		1, £20		1, £20		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	5		7		4		3		4		2		7		..	
Number of members sick	20		19		14		17		29		8		7		2	
Period of sickness	177 w. 1 d.		107 w. 1 d.		24 w. 2 d.		105 w. 2 d.		285 w. 2 d.		70 w. 5 d.		19 w. 4 d.		5 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		2, £20		1, £10		..		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	17 Hope of Ballarat (Juvenile). Ballarat. 1883.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Ballarat District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 45 8 7	£ s. d. 9 4 3	£ s. d. 34,359 12 8½	£ s. d. 1,390 13 2½	£ s. d. 2 5 0	£ s. d. 181 16 10	£ s. d. 34,361 17 8½	£ s. d. 1,572 10 0½
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	6 10 6	4 8 8	2,338 13 3	2,398 1 10	..	..	2,338 13 3	2,398 1 10
Special levies	..	..	..	11 4 0	..	..	..	11 4 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 7 0	..	62 9 0	..	..	..	62 9 0
Interest	2 3 2	..	1,875 12 10	24 7 3	..	1 10 0	1,875 12 10	25 17 3
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	402 4 5	306 10 9	402 4 5	306 10 9
Other receipts	..	..	8 3 4	89 10 1	..	36 16 4	8 3 4	126 6 5
Total Receipts	8 13 8	4 15 8	4,222 9 5	2,585 12 2	402 4 5	344 17 1	4,624 13 10	2,930 9 3
Total	54 2 3	13 19 11	38,582 2 1½	3,976 5 4½	404 9 5	526 13 11	38,986 11 6½	4,502 19 3½
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	..	..	2,443 2 6	..	..	..	2,443 2 6	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	1,570 12 5	..	..	..	1,570 12 5
Funeral donations	3 0 0	..	3 0 0	..	420 0 0	..	423 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	402 4 5	306 10 9	..	..	402 4 5	306 10 9
Permanent Sick Pay dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Management	..	3 18 0	..	671 13 7	..	187 4 6	..	858 18 1
Other expenditure	3 3 0	1 17 7	22 4 0	123 7 6	..	123 5 7	22 4 0	246 13 1
Total Expenditure	6 3 0	5 15 7	2,870 10 11	2,672 4 3	420 0 0	310 10 1	3,290 10 11	2,982 14 4
Balance	47 19 3	8 4 4	35,711 11 2½	1,304 1 1½	−15 10 7	216 3 10	35,696 0 7½	1,520 4 11½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	47 19 3	8 4 4	32,550 4 2	575 13 4	..	..	32,550 4 2	575 13 4
Invested in halls	..	..	948 3 11	500 0 0	..	..	948 3 11	500 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	..	2,213 3 1½	228 7 9½	−15 10 7 [1]	216 3 10	2,197 12 6½	444 11 7½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	54	63	..	..	..	..	1,435	1,470
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	90
Not entitled to benefits: New	15	8	..	..	..	..	56	50
Total	69	71	..	..	..	..	1,591	1,610
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	16		..		..		133	
Departures: By death	1, £3		..		..		19, £343	
Departures: Otherwise	13		..		..		95	
Number of members sick	..		..		..		354	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		3,213 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		9, £80	

BENDIGO DISTRICT.

	1 Bendigo. Sandhurst. 1854.		2 Goldminer's Pride. Golden Square. 1854.		3 James Roe. Sandhurst. 1856.		4 Stranger's Refuge. Kangaroo Flat. 1856.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 2,935 15 5	£ s. d. 363 5 8	£ s. d. 246 0 6	£ s. d. 57 15 1	£ s. d. 404 4 3	£ s. d. 338 16 3	£ s. d. 781 15 2	£ s. d. 59 17 0
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	478 7 1	492 13 10	259 7 5	271 17 11	290 18 0	287 13 3	133 1 4	175 14 11
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 9 8
Initiation fees, &c.	..	16 16 6	..	8 12 0	..	33 8 6	..	8 2 0
Interest	143 19 3	..	12 10 0	..	27 12 0	10 6 10	19 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	136 15 0 [2]	38 10 4	58 6 8 [4]	9 7 0	114 5 0 [4]	11 3 6	26 0 0 [4]	66 19 6
Total Receipts	759 1 4	548 0 8	330 4 1	289 16 11	432 15 0	342 12 1	178 1 4	253 6 1
Total	3,694 16 9	911 6 4	576 4 7	347 12 0	836 19 3	681 8 4	959 16 6	313 3 1
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	504 18 3	..	361 7 4	..	263 16 11	..	122 9 5	..
Medical attendance	..	287 16 2	..	134 19 7	..	158 12 10	..	93 15 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	122 4 0	45 14 0	65 2 0	24 9 0	70 5 6	26 7 0	35 14 0	13 7 6
Permanent Sick Pay dues	68 16 3	..	36 11 6	..	39 16 0	..	20 2 9	..
Management	..	106 17 4	..	52 17 7	..	68 9 6	..	42 9 0
Other expenditure	..	80 6 9	..	39 14 3	..	54 14 9	..	79 6 10
Total Expenditure	695 18 6	520 14 3	463 0 10	252 0 5	373 18 5	308 4 1	178 6 2	228 18 4
Balance	2,998 18 3	390 12 1	113 3 9	95 11 7	463 0 10	373 4 3	781 10 4	84 4 9
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	1,920 0 0	..	113 3 9	36 16 3	430 0 0	322 0 0	182 2 7	50 0 0
Invested in halls	949 12 10	356 11 0	..	..	..	..	380 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	129 5 5	34 1 1	..	58 15 4	33 0 10	51 4 3	219 7 9	34 4 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	292	302	159	154	150	182	85	86
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	9	4	6	7	5	10	1	5
Not entitled to benefits: New	5	15	5	4	15	15	3	11
Total	306	321	170	165	170	207	89	102
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	31		9		48		17	
Departures: By death	2, £40		3, £60		3, £40 [5]		1, £40 [6]	
Departures: Otherwise	14		11		8		3	
Number of members sick	50		37		26		22	
Period of sickness	665 w. 4 d.		462 w. 2 d.		395 w. 3 d.		177 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £30 [3]		..		..		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Borrowed from the Incidental Fund.—[2] Permanent sick pay refunded by District, and £10 funeral donation repaid.—[3] Including £10 for 1887.—[4] Permanent sick pay refunded by District.—[5] One member not entitled to benefits.
[6] Including £20 for 1887.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

BENDIGO DISTRICT—continued.

	5 Heart of Friendship. Sandhurst. 1859.		6 Albert. Long Gully, Sandhurst. 1859.		7 Sir Henry Barkly. Huntly. 1861.		8 Catherine. Eaglehawk. 1862.		9 Heathcote. Heathcote. 1865.		10 Darling. California Gully. 1865.		11 Echuca. Echuca. 1867.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 1,894 10 11	£ s. d. 527 14 10	£ s. d. 1,827 0 7½	£ s. d. 127 7 5	£ s. d. 971 18 3	£ s. d. −4 1 4	£ s. d. 3,307 19 8	£ s. d. 336 14 5	£ s. d. 880 4 10	£ s. d. 23 11 10	£ s. d. 70 17 2	£ s. d. 105 12 8	£ s. d. 1,997 13 6	£ s. d. 7 2 3
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	480 0 11	496 13 2	554 4 9	462 2 6½	136 11 1	147 18 1	608 1 6	593 9 5	142 11 6	132 8 7	230 1 11	201 12 11	318 4 6	342 1 1
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	4 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	30 18 0	..	8 4 6	..	5 15 6	..	22 11 0	..	33 13 0	..	3 13 6	..	20 12 3
Interest	67 18 0	18 0 0	87 10 8	..	36 10 4	..	171 18 0	32 10 0	39 7 0	..	1 4 0	1 4 0	98 2 3	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	18 0 0[1]	51 13 3	77 1 8[4]	110 17 9	27 0 0[6]	9 13 5	120 10 0[1]	94 8 0	..	16 16 6	157 18 4[9]	37 17 8	30 0 0[1]	20 16 9
Total Receipts	565 18 11	597 4 5	718 17 1	581 4 9½	200 1 5	167 7 0	900 9 6	742 18 5	181 18 6	182 18 1	389 4 3	244 8 1	446 6 9	383 10 1
Total	2,460 9 10	1,124 19 3	2,545 17 8½	708 12 2½	1,171 19 8	163 5 8	4,208 9 2	1,079 12 10	1,062 3 4	206 9 11	460 1 5	350 0 9	2,444 0 3	390 12 4
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	236 1 2	..	705 9 11	..	198 13 5	..	602 11 2	..	38 18 0	..	300 2 5	..	148 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	265 2 10	..	333 7 0	..	90 13 1	..	399 0 0	..	114 11 6	..	143 15 0	..	216 8 11
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	122 15 0	46 2 6	141 5 6	53 0 3	32 16 0	12 5 6	156 19 0	58 15 9	34 12 0	13 0 0	53 11 9	20 2 3	72 19 6	27 5 6
Permanent Sick Pay dues	69 4 6	..	79 8 9	..	18 9 9	..	86 7 0	..	19 12 3	..	30 2 3	..	41 2 9	..
Management	..	94 14 11	..	96 13 7	..	38 19 1	..	103 13 1	..	24 14 3	..	37 1 1	..	71 12 8
Other expenditure	10 0 0[2]	114 14 1	..	90 8 8	..	27 0 6	26 0 0[7]	115 7 3	..	22 5 0	..	78 6 1	..	15 15 5
Total Expenditure	438 0 8	520 14 4	926 4 2	573 9 6	249 19 2	168 18 2	871 17 2	676 16 1	93 2 3	174 10 9	383 16 5	279 4 5	262 2 3	331 2 6
Balance	2,022 9 2	604 4 11	1,619 13 6½	135 2 8½	922 0 6	−5 12 6	3,336 12 0	402 16 9	969 1 1	31 19 2	76 5 0	70 16 4	2,181 18 0	59 9 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	1,126 15 10	..	1,619 13 6½	47 13 3½	913 0 0	..	2,895 0 0	150 0 0	875 0 0	..	30 0 0	30 0 0	2,135 0 0	50 0 0
Invested in halls	800 0 0	518 15 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	162 14 10	200 0 0	40 0 0	..	46 5 0	40 16 4	46 18 0	9 9 10
Cash not bearing interest	95 13 4	85 9 1	..	87 9 5	3 8 0	−5 12 6	278 17 2	52 16 9	54 1 1	31 19 2	..	..	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	5 12 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	290	286	348	350	77	82	348	373	82	100	135	129	162	173
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	1	26	6	4	3	1	10	18	..	..	2	2	17	13
Not entitled to benefits: New	6	16	7	6	3	3	40	16	7	22	..	5	11	15
Total	297	328	361	360	83	86	398	407	89	122	137	136	190	201
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	49		9		10		38		36		7		34	
Departures: By death	4, £80		5, £120[5]		..		6, £120		..		3, £40[10]		1, £20	
Departures: Otherwise	14		5		7		23		3		5		22	
Number of members sick	46		84		18		83		13		37		29	
Period of sickness	243 w. 3 d.		895 w. 2 d.		281 w. 1 d.		749 w. 3 d.		43 w.		439 w. 5 d.		174 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	3, £20[3]		2, £20		..		1[8]		..		..		3, £20[11]	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Permanent sick pay refunded by District.—[2] Funeral donation advanced.—[3] One claim not yet repaid.—[4] Permanent sick pay refunded by Distrtct, and £1 10s. by other lodges.—[5] Including £20 for 1887.—[6] Permanent sick pay refunded by District, and £1 by other lodges.—[7] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[8] Husband not entitled to benefits.—[9] Permanent sick pay refunded by District, and £50 transferred from Incidental Fund.—[10] One claim not yet paid.—[11] One husband not entitled to benefits.

BENDIGO DISTRICT—continued.

	12 Sir Walter Scott. Elmore. 1876.		13 District Members. Sandhurst. 1857.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.				Total of Bendigo District.[5]	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Permanent Sick Fund.	Widows and Orphans' Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 148 18 3½	£ s. d. 33 9 6½	£ s. d. 437 9 8	£ s. d. 84 7 3	£ s. d. 15,904 8 3	£ s. d. 2,061 12 10½	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 46 2 10	£ s. d. 33 12 0	£ s. d. 8,162 19 9	£ s. d. 15,938 0 3	£ s. d. 2,107 15 8½
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	27 17 4	18 10 7	5 7 6	4 18 6	3,664 14 10	3,627 14 9½	..	..	..	430 1 0	3,664 14 10	3,627 14 9½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	6 9 8	..	..	..	..	..	6 9 8
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 14 6	..	..	..	197 1 3	..	..	..	..	..	197 1 3
Interest	4 0 0	..	26 0 0	..	735 11 6	62 0 10	..	..	..	485 2 4	735 11 6	62 0 10
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	916 14 0	343 13 3	514 13 9	..	1,431 7 9	343 13 3
Other receipts	..	1 9 6	..	..	765 16 8	469 13 2	..	54 12 7	..	..	765 16 8	524 5 9
Total Receipts	31 17 4	24 14 7	31 7 6	4 18 6	5,166 3 0	4,362 19 8½	916 14 0	398 5 10	514 13 9	915 3 4	6,597 10 9	4,761 5 6½
Total	180 15 7½	58 4 1½	468 17 2	89 5 9	21,070 11 3	6,424 12 7	916 14 0	444 8 8	548 5 9	9,078 3 1	22,535 11 0	6,869 1 3
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	3,482 8 0	..	..	..	..	..	3,482 8 0	..
Medical attendance	..	48 1 6	..	3 0 0	..	2,289 3 5	..	..	..	..	..	2,289 3 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	660 0 0	..	..	550 0 0[4]	660 0 0	..
District and Board dues	7 5 9	2 17 0	1 4 0	0 7 0	916 14 0	343 13 3	..	..	..	..	916 14 0	343 13 3
Permanent Sick Pay dues	4 6 6	..	0 13 6	..	514 13 9	..	..	..	..	..	514 13 9	..
Management	..	10 4 5	..	0 2 0	..	748 8 6	..	205 1 4	..	97 16 3	..	953 9 10
Other expenditure	..	1 16 0	..	0 2 0	36 0 0	719 17 7	168 6 2[1]	243 10 8	703 6 8[2]	75 0 0	907 12 10	963 8 3
Total Expenditure	11 12 3	62 18 11	1 17 6	3 11 0	4,949 15 9	4,101 2 9	828 6 2	448 12 0	703 6 8	722 16 3	6,481 8 7	4,549 14 9
Balance	169 3 4½	−4 14 9½	466 19 8	85 14 9	16,120 15 6	2,323 9 10	88 7 10	−4 3 4	−155 0 11	8,355 6 10	16,054 2 5	2,319 6 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	100 0 0	..	300 0 0	..	12,639 15 8½	686 9 6½	..	..	..	..	12,639 15 8½	686 9 6½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	2,129 12 10	875 6 10	..	..	..	..	2,129 12 10	875 6 10
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	202 14 10	200 0 0	..	..	..	8,215 0 0	202 14 10	200 0 0
Cash not bearing interest	64 8 7	−4 14 9½	166 19 8	85 14 9	1,138 4 10	561 13 5½	84 4 6	−4 3 4	−155 0 11[3]	140 6 10	1,067 8 5	557 10 1½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	4 14 9½	..	..	..	10 7 3½	..	4 3 4	..	..	..	14 10 7½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.												
Entitled to benefits	14	15	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,145	2,235
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	92
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	102	133
Total	15	22	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,308	2,460
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	8		..		..		..		..		296	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		28, £560	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		..		..		..		116	
Number of members sick	..		..		..		..		..		445	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		..		..		4,527 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		12, £100	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Overdraft repaid.—[2] Permanent sick pay refunded to lodges.—[3] Overdraft.—[4] Bounties to widows and orphans.—[5] Not including Widows and Orphans' Fund.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

	1 Castlemaine. Castlemaine. 1855.		2 Chewton. Chewton. 1858.		3 Hand of Friendship. Daylesford. 1858.		4 Maldon. Maldon. 1858.		5 Prince of Wales. Castlemaine. 1859.		6 Kyneton. Kyneton. 1860.		7 Garibaldi. Tarnagulla. 1862.		8 Talbot. Fryerstown. 1862.	
Name of branch .. .. / Where situated .. .. / Year when established ..	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	8,140 14 4	18 2 8	444 9 1½	24 4 4½	1,818 4 2¼	69 16 1¼	932 2 7	11 3 8	1,032 6 5	20 10 5	1,959 19 0½	52 8 1½	968 4 10	45 2 1	1,072 1 10	55 13 2
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	199 18 8	140 11 10	120 15 10	134 7 11	320 15 8¾	359 2 11¾	244 15 10	171 13 0	162 7 9½	111 7 3½	179 10 9	124 1 0½	113 0 11	73 16 11	178 11 4	124 10 3
Special levies	..	69 17 0	..	..	..	..	..	76 17 6	..	60 5 0	..	35 17 0	..	29 10 0	..	23 2 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	5 7 6	..	3 5 6	..	0 10 6	..	2 7 0	..	6 11 0	..	2 7 0	..	5 15 6	..	0 17 0
Interest	463 5 11	..	13 2 0	0 15 0	79 10 6	..	81 0 6	..	41 7 1	..	77 9 0	1 1 9	62 9 6	..	44 17 11	2 5 9
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	26 11 0	..	19 2 0	..	23 1 0	..	6 0 11	..	2 3 0	..	43 3 3	..	2 9 6	..	38 5 0
Total Receipts ..	663 4 7	242 7 4	133 17 10	157 10 5	400 6 2¾	382 14 5¾	325 16 4	256 18 5	203 14 10½	180 6 3½	256 19 9	206 10 0½	175 10 5	111 11 11	223 9 3	189 0 0
Total	8,803 18 11	260 10 0	578 6 11½	181 14 9½	2,218 10 5	452 10 7	1,257 18 11	268 2 1	1,236 1 3½	200 16 8½	2,216 18 9½	258 18 2	1,143 15 3	156 14 0	1,295 11 1	244 13 2
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	141 8 6	..	211 0 0	..	309 17 2	..	423 6 10	..	199 9 5	..	95 0 0	..	70 10 0	..	154 1 0	..
Medical attendance	..	123 13 6	..	76 15 0	..	227 1 0	..	164 10 0	..	110 14 1	..	117 10 0	..	81 18 3	..	123 19 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	39 13 0	26 17 0	24 8 3	16 14 3	66 15 0	45 10 3	49 2 6	33 7 0	32 5 3	21 18 0	35 11 9	24 5 3	21 5 9	14 4 0	35 11 6	24 5 6
Management	..	89 7 4	..	42 2 4	..	117 7 10	..	70 5 1	..	42 10 2	..	94 13 0	..	20 18 1	..	48 13 5
Other expenditure	2 0 0[1]	16 4 0	..	39 17 8	20 0 0[3]	1 1 0	11 16 8[4]	..	..	1 15 6	..	2 5 6	..	1 8 9	..	1 6 6
Total Expenditure ..	183 1 6	256 1 10	235 8 3	175 9 3	396 12 2	391 0 1	484 6 0	268 2 1	231 14 8	176 17 9	130 11 9	238 13 9	91 15 9	118 9 1	189 12 6	198 4 11
Balance	8,620 17 5	4 8 2	342 18 8½	6 5 6½	1,821 18 3	61 10 6	773 12 11	..	1,004 6 7½	23 18 11½	2,086 7 0½	20 4 5	1,051 19 6	38 4 11	1,105 18 7	46 8 3
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	8,558 8 7	..	19 5 0	6 5 6½	1,821 0 0	26 10 0	741 0 0	..	1,004 6 7½	..	1,429 15 7	20 4 5	465 0 0	..	1,105 18 7	46 8 3
Invested in halls	..	..	205 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	576 5 0	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	360 6 2	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	62 8 10	4 8 2	118 13 8½	..	0 18 3	35 0 6	32 12 11	..	..	23 18 11½	80 6 5½	..	226 13 4	38 4 11	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	124	126	74	76	215	206	155	154	101	97	108	112	60	62	108	111
Not entitled { Unfinancial ..	4	1	4	4	12	5	10	3	4	4	1	3	2	6	4	4
to benefits { New	3	6	2	1	5	1	1	3	1	4	5	..	6	6	7	..
Total	131	133	80	81	232	212	166	160	106	105	114	115	68	74	119	115
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	8		5		1		6		12		5		9		2	
Departures .. { By death ..	2, £20[2]		1, £20		3, £40[3]		5, £100		3, £40[5]		1[3]		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	4		3		18		7		10		3		3		6	
Number of members sick ..	23		13		46		52		22		16		15		21	
Period of sickness	194 w. 3 d.		314 w. 2 d.		586 w. 4 d.		670 w. 2 d.		280 w. d.		121 w.		97 w. 3 d.		207 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	1, £10		..		1, £10		3, £20[3]		..		..		..		2, £10[3]	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] One funeral claim not yet paid by District.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other lodges, and funeral donation £10.—[5] One funeral donation not yet claimed.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—continued.

	9 Newstead and Strangways. Strangways. 1862.		10 Maryborough. Maryborough. 1862.		11 Strathloddon. Guildford. 1863.		12 Prince Alfred. Dunolly. 1863.		13 St. Arnaud. St. Arnaud. 1864.		14 Kent. Lauriston. 1865.		15 Hepburn. Daylesford. 1866.		16 Coliban. Malmsbury. 1867.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	887 19 0	3 2 3½	1,849 19 9	52 15 11	308 2 11¾	0 4 5¼	1,567 14 4	25 2 2	1,748 16 3¼	27 16 5¾	21 4 10	23 12 4	501 3 0¾	83 12 1¼	235 9 9	61 11 6
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	34 13 7	24 10 5	202 7 0	231 6 8	108 12 4	73 15 1	194 14 3	189 14 8	183 7 5¾	127 2 11¼	38 3 0	27 5 0	247 16 9¼	166 16 0¼	97 13 5	62 19 3
Special levies	..	11 3 6	..	..	..	22 5 6	..	..	..	51 1 0	..	19 12 0	..	61 6 0	..	33 6 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 11 6	..	5 2 3	..	6 13 3	..	16 5 6	..	7 9 6	..	..	..	12 4 0	..	8 0 0
Interest	.. [1]	..	89 11 10	..	8 19 0	..	89 3 3	..	128 3 11	..	..	..	21 2 4	1 10 0	9 10 0	2 10 0
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 6 0	..	3 14 0	..	19 9 6	..	6 0 6	..	4 10 0	..	..	..	12 8 6	..	5 2 9
Total Receipts ..	34 13 7	37 11 5	291 18 10	240 2 11	117 11 4	122 3 4	283 17 6	212 0 8	311 11 4¾	190 3 5¼	38 3 0	46 17 0	268 19 1¼	254 4 6¼	107 3 5	111 18 0
Total	922 12 7	40 13 8½	2,141 18 7	292 18 10	425 14 3¾	122 7 9¼	1,851 11 10	237 2 10	2,060 7 8	217 19 11	59 7 10	70 9 4	770 2 2	337 16 7½	342 13 2	173 9 6
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	22 0 0	..	185 0 1	..	54 1 8	..	168 6 0	..	156 12 2	..	24 16 8	..	150 6 4	..	112 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	20 12 9	..	153 13 9	..	72 15 6	..	148 2 6	..	130 10 6	..	25 16 10	..	176 7 0	..	61 13 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	6 12 0	4 11 0	40 1 9	27 4 3	20 7 0	13 14 9	34 12 3	23 7 3	35 19 6	24 8 9	8 13 0	5 18 3	50 3 6	33 18 6	17 8 3	11 12 0
Management	..	14 11 9	..	50 15 7	..	17 18 4	..	35 17 0	..	42 3 6	..	12 7 6	..	72 16 5	..	16 6 6
Other expenditure	..	0 5 0	..	3 8 10	..	12 2 4	20 0 0 [2]	4 17 4	8 14 8 [4]	..	..	7 0 8	..	27 15 3	..	12 6 8
Total Expenditure ..	28 12 0	40 0 6	225 1 10	235 2 5	74 8 8	116 10 11	222 18 3	212 4 1	201 6 4	197 2 9	33 9 8	51 3 3	200 9 10	310 17 2	129 18 3	101 18 5
Balance	894 0 7	0 13 2½	1,916 16 9	57 16 5	351 5 7¾	5 16 10¼	1,628 13 7	24 18 9	1,859 1 4	20 17 2	25 18 2	19 6 1	569 12 4	26 19 5½	212 14 11	71 11 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	780 0 0	..	1,865 0 0	..	233 2 0	..	1,416 0 0	24 18 9	1,687 10 0	..	..	..	564 0 0	20 0 0	210 0 0	60 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	114 0 7	0 13 2½	51 16 9	57 16 5	118 3 7¾	5 16 10¼	12 13 7	..	171 11 4	20 17 2	25 18 2	19 6 1	5 12 4	6 19 5½	2 14 11	11 11 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	20	23	123	126	57	63	99	109	115	108	28	27	143	156	45	54
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	3	2	9	4	10	2	6	1	6	5	2	1	14	9	2	3
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	1	2	5	2	3	7	3	10	3	9	..	..	12	10	7	9
Total	24	27	137	132	70	72	108	120	124	122	30	28	169	175	54	66
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	3		10		12		22		12		..		23		16	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		2, £40		2, £40		1 [3]		1, £20		..		2, £40		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	..		13		8		9		13		2		15		4	
Number of members sick ..	6		27		13		24		24		5		31		14	
Period of sickness	22 w.		223 w.		61 w. 1 d.		249 w.		170 w. 1 d.		24 w. 5 d.		180 w. 4 d.		135 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		1, £10		..		..		1, £10		..		..		£10 [5]	

[1] The secretary states that the interest for 1888, £41 2s., which is omitted, will be credited in the balance-sheet for 1889.—[2] Funeral donation advanced.—[3] One funeral claim not yet paid by Disirict.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.
[5] Amount for 1887.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	17 Kingston. Newstead. 1868.		18 Heart of Friendship. Swan Hill. 1874.		19 Charlton. Charlton. 1885.		20 Korong Vale.[5] Korong. 1886.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Castlemaine District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	120 17 8	21 18 5	167 18 0	50 1 4	80 19 6	12 1 2	39 10 4	3 10 1	23,897 17 10	662 8 10	422 8 3	231 10 1	24,320 6 1	893 18 11
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	63 3 6	45 2 6	60 17 4	131 4 4	48 17 8	55 16 0	..	..	2,800 3 2¼	2,375 4 1¼	7 7 6	..	2,807 10 8¼	2,375 4 1¼
Special levies	..	3 7 6	..	17 12 6	..	..	..	..	..	515 2 6	..	..	..	515 2 6
Initiation fees, &c.	..	10 17 0	..	5 15 6	..	4 14 0	..	..	..	105 13 6	..	..	..	105 13 6
Interest	4 0 0	..	7 17 0	..	2 15 0	..	..	..	1,224 4 9	8 2 6	14 19 0	..	1,239 3 9	8 2 6
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	552 5 6	374 13 1	552 5 6	374 13 1
Other receipts	..	19 1 0	10 0 0[1]	0 7 6	3 0 0[4]	1 15 4	..	..	13 0 0	233 10 9	33 19 4	9 7 6	46 19 4	242 18 3
Total Receipts	67 3 6	78 8 0	78 14 4	154 19 10	54 12 8	62 5 4	..	..	4,037 7 11¼	3,237 13 4¼	608 11 4	384 0 7	4,645 19 3¼	3,621 13 11¼
Total	188 1 2	100 6 5	246 12 4	205 1 2	135 12 2	74 6 6	39 10 4	3 10 1	27,935 5 9½	3,900 2 2¼	1,030 19 7	615 10 8	28,966 5 4¼	4,515 12 10¼
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	13 10 0	..	8 6 8	..	18 13 4	..	..	..	2,518 15 10	..	52 0 0	..	2,570 15 10	..
Medical attendance	..	35 16 11	..	100 0 0	..	42 15 0	..	..	..	1,994 5 4	..	..	..	1,994 5 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	450 0 0	..	450 0 0	..
District and Board dues	12 14 9	8 11 1	11 2 9	7 10 3	9 17 9	6 15 9	..	..	552 5 6	374 13 1	..	..	552 5 6	374 13 1
Management	..	12 10 0	..	24 8 11	..	11 13 2	..	..	..	837 5 11	..	264 2 1	..	1,101 8 0
Other expenditure	..	13 12 11	0 5 0[2]	11 0 0	..	1 10 7	39 10 4	3 10 1	102 6 8	161 8 7	..	148 14 4	102 6 8	310 2 11
Total Expenditure	26 4 9	70 10 11	19 14 5	142 19 2	28 11 1	62 14 6	39 10 4	3 10 1	3,173 8 0	3,367 12 11	502 0 0	412 16 5	3,675 8 0	3,780 9 4
Balance	161 16 5	29 15 6	226 17 11	62 2 0	107 1 1	11 12 0	..	..	24,761 17 9½	532 9 3¼	528 19 7	202 14 3	25,290 17 4¼	735 3 6¼
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	125 0 0	..	165 0 0	..	90 0 0	..	..	..	22,280 6 4½	204 6 11½	528 19 7	200 9 3	22,809 5 11½	404 16 2½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	781 5 0	..	..	..	781 5 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	560 6 2	..	..	..	560 6 2	..
Cash not bearing interest	36 16 5	29 15 6	61 17 11	62 2 0	17 1 1	11 12 0	..	..	1,140 0 2¾	328 2 3¾	..	2 5 0	1,140 0 2¾	330 7 3¾
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	25	41	31	34	27	27	..	..	..	..	3	3	1,661	1,715
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	2	1	..	..	5	6	12	..	..	..	..	..	112	64
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	8	4	5	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	79	84
Total	33	50	35	39	35	34	14	..	..	..	3[6]	3[6]	1,852	1,863
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	19		7		8		..		..		..		180	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		23, £360	
Departures { Otherwise	2		3		9		14		..		..		146	
Number of members sick	4		4		3		..		..		2[6]		365	
Period of sickness	13 w. 3 d.		8 w. 2 d.		18 w. 4 d.		..		..		104 w.		3,683 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		£10[3]		..		..		..		..		9, £90	

[1] Funeral donation repaid.—[2] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[3] Amount for 1887.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[5] This lodge was closed during the year.—[6] District members.

COLLINGWOOD DISTRICT.

	1 Collingwood. Collingwood. 1853.		2 Good Samaritan. Collingwood. 1855.		3 Barkly. [3] Collingwood. 1858.		4 Hand of Friendship. Collingwood. 1858.		5 John Jordan. Fitzroy. 1860.		6 Union. Collingwood. 1860.		7 Fitzroy. Fitzroy. 1862.		8 Merri Merri. North Fitzroy. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 8,397 0 2½	£ s. d. 36 18 8	£ s. d. 4,817 4 9	£ s. d. 13 1 10	£ s. d. 5,409 8 6½	£ s. d. 214 19 7	£ s. d. 2,127 4 2	£ s. d. 50 9 6	£ s. d. 770 14 7	£ s. d. 63 15 4	£ s. d. 1,242 3 5½	£ s. d. 6 17 2½	£ s. d. 1,546 4 5	£ s. d. 56 10 6	£ s. d. 121 4 7	£ s. d. 24 8 11
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	343 15 2	282 2 6	295 6 7	269 12 7	299 1 10	287 4 1	234 16 2½	198 19 9½	279 5 10	229 0 6	171 16 3¼	169 11 9¼	133 10 6	93 10 11	153 11 2	118 2 0
Special levies	..	52 15 0	..	60 16 9	..	32 19 0	..	40 9 0	..	..	..	..	..	43 19 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	5 5 0	..	4 9 0	..	1 11 6	..	7 4 0	..	13 15 0	..	2 12 6	..	1 16 6	..	15 8 3
Interest	510 0 0	..	370 14 2	..	444 11 7	..	122 4 3	7 10 0	61 19 1	5 3 4	439 13 5	..	89 16 2	..	11 6 9	1 2 7
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	4 15 0	..	14 15 9	..	46 7 6	..	15 12 3	..	11 17 9	..	11 6 3	20 0 0[5]	3 8 6	..	7 4 6
Total Receipts	853 15 2	344 17 6	666 0 9	349 14 1	743 13 5	368 2 1	357 0 5½	269 15 0½	341 4 11	259 16 7	611 9 8½	183 10 6¼	243 6 8	142 14 11	164 17 11	141 17 4
Total	9,250 15 4½	381 16 2	5,483 5 6	362 15 11	6,153 1 11½	583 1 8	2,484 4 7½	320 4 6½	1,111 19 6	323 11 11	1,853 13 1¾	190 7 8¾	1,789 11 1	199 5 5	286 2 6	166 6 3
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	420 15 0	..	343 3 0	..	272 3 4	..	159 7 3	..	55 6 8	..	127 3 4	..	34 3 4	..	34 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	213 11 0	..	211 2 3	..	207 0 7½	..	150 2 4½	..	159 0 7	..	110 17 8	..	93 14 6½	..	79 4 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	80 0 0[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	28 1 6	50 8 0	25 7 0	45 15 0	..	..	18 4 6	32 14 0	21 5 0	38 2 6	14 8 6	25 19 6	11 3 0	20 2 6	10 19 0	19 13 6
Management	..	91 9 8	..	82 1 3	..	112 6 9	..	55 12 9	..	41 0 10	..	39 3 0	..	38 6 4	..	23 7 8
Other expenditure	1 6 8[1]	5 4 6	..	4 15 0	..	3 5 0	..	4 2 11	..	2 8 9	20 0 0[4]	12 11 6	23 4 0[1]	15 5 0	20 0 0[4]	2 14 2
Total Expenditure	450 3 2	360 13 2	368 10 0	343 13 6	352 3 4	322 12 4½	177 11 9	242 12 0½	76 11 8	240 12 8	161 11 10	188 11 8	68 10 4	167 8 4½	64 19 0	125 0 1
Balance	8,800 12 2½	21 3 0	5,114 15 6	19 2 5	5,800 18 7½	260 9 3½	2,306 12 10½	77 12 6	1,035 7 10	82 19 3	1,692 1 3¾	1 16 0¾	1,721 0 9	31 17 0½	221 3 6	41 6 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	8,590 0 0	..	4,365 0 0	..	4,420 0 0	..	1,756 12 10½	12 10 1½	1,029 10 10	82 19 3	950 0 0	..	1,637 10 11	..	220 9 4	35 15 10
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	561 0 0	..	550 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	210 12 2½	21 3 0	749 15 6	19 2 5	819 18 7½	260 9 3½	..	65 2 4½	5 17 0	..	742 1 3¾	1 16 0¾	83 9 10	31 17 0½	0 14 2	5 10 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	217	224	200	197	222	208	131	136	161	172	114	111	86	83	71	91
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	16	8	10	12	1	11	14	18	9	7	6	6	6	5	4	7
Not entitled to benefits { New	11	5	4	5	5	2	8	3	5	11	6	2	3	..	7	9
Total	244	237	214	214	228	221	153	157	175	190	126	119	95	88	82	107
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	11		10		3		11		24		5		7		34	
Departures { By death	2, £20[2]		1, £20		4, £80		..		1, £20		2, £40		1, £40[6]		1[7]	
Departures { Otherwise	16		9		6		7		8		10		13		8	
Number of members sick	50		36		41		24		21		16		11		13	
Period of sickness	602 w. 3 d.		504 w. 5 d.		334 w. 2 d.		212 w. 2 d.		94 w. 2 d.		179 w. 2 d.		34 w. 1 d.		34 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		3, £30		..		..		..		2, £20		..		..	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] This lodge being under suspension during the year, no dues were paid to the district, and the funeral claims were paid out of the lodge funds.—[4] Funeral donation advanced.
[5] Funeral donation repaid.—[6] Including £20 for 1887.—[7] Amount not yet received from district.

COLLINGWOOD DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	9 Boundary. Clifton Hill. 1885.		10 Hope of Victoria (juvenile) Collingwood. 1882.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Collingwood District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 48 9 6	£ s. d. −4 18 11	£ s. d. 64 1 5	£ s. d. 25 18 9	£ s. d. 24,543 15 7½	£ s. d. 488 1 4½	£ s. d. 64 12 6	£ s. d. 36 15 0	£ s. d. 24,608 8 1½	£ s. d. 524 16 4½
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	48 14 10	36 5 7	..	..	1,959 18 4¾	1,684 9 8¾	..	..	1,959 18 4¾	1,684 9 8¾
Special levies	..	6 19 6	..	..	..	237 18 3	..	..	..	237 18 3
Initiation fees, &c.	..	16 3 0	..	..	..	68 4 9	..	..	..	68 4 9
Interest	1 16 2	..	..	..	2,052 1 7	13 15 11	..	..	2,052 1 7	13 15 11
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	132 12 6	238 9 0	132 12 6	238 9 0
Other receipts	..	8 4 0	..	..	20 0 0	123 11 6	..	142 19 1	20 0 0	266 10 7
Total Receipts	50 11 0	67 12 1	..	..	4,031 19 11¾	2,128 0 1¾	132 12 6	381 8 1	4,164 12 5¾	2,509 8 2¾
Total	99 0 6	62 13 2	64 1 5	25 18 9	28,575 15 7¼	2,616 1 6¼	197 5 0	418 3 1	28,773 0 7¼	3,034 4 7¼
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	24 0 0	..	..	..	1,470 1 11	..	..	..	1,470 1 11	..
Medical attendance	..	32 3 5	..	..	..	1,256 17 2½	..	..	..	1,256 17 2½
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	80 0 0	..	190 0 0	..	270 0 0	..
District and Board dues	3 4 0	5 14 0	..	..	132 12 6	238 9 0	..	..	132 12 6	238 9 0
Management	..	16 13 5	..	..	..	500 1 8	..	200 0 0	..	700 1 8
Other expenditure	..	0 10 3	64 1 5	25 18 9	128 12 1	76 15 10	..	159 6 1	128 12 1	236 1 11
Total Expenditure	27 4 0	55 1 1	64 1 5	25 18 9	1,811 6 6	2,072 3 8½	190 0 0	359 6 1	2,001 6 6	2,431 9 9½
Balance	71 16 6	7 12 1	..	..	26,764 9 1¼	543 17 9¾	7 5 0	58 17 0	26,771 14 1¼	602 14 9¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	71 16 6	7 12 1	..	..	23,041 0 5½	138 17 3½	..	..	23,041 0 5½	138 17 3½
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	1,111 0 0	..	..	..	1,111 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	..	..	..	2,612 8 7¾	405 0 6¼	7 5 0	58 17 0	2,619 13 7¾	463 17 6¼
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	19	22	9	..	..	..	..	..	1,230	1,244
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	12	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	78	80
Not entitled to benefits: New	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	49	53
Total	31	44	9	..	..	..	..	..	1,357	1,377
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	27		..		..		..		132	
Departures: By death	..		..		..		..		12, £220	
Departures: Otherwise	14		9		..		..		100	
Number of members sick	5		..		..		..		217	
Period of sickness	24 w.		..		..		..		2,019 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		5, £50	

CORIO DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Geelong. Geelong. 1846.		2 Southern Star. Geelong. 1854.		3 Ashby. Geelong West. 1870.	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 6,603 12 6	£ s. d. 169 8 5	£ s. d. 2,955 19 4	£ s. d. 140 3 5	£ s. d. 854 11 9	£ s. d. 13 4 10
RECEIPTS.						
Contributions	301 10 3	253 14 0	220 6 4	217 12 7	31 14 5	35 12 3
Special levies	..	9 16 6	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 4 6	..	1 6 0	..	..
Interest	390 13 11	4 5 0	88 19 0	24 2 0	32 14 5	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	20 0 0[1]	16 17 3	20 0 0[2]	6 17 9	5 3 4[5]	0 11 0
Total Receipts	712 4 2	286 17 3	329 5 4	249 18 4	69 12 2	36 3 3
Total	7,315 16 8	456 5 8	3,285 4 8	390 1 9	924 3 11	49 8 1
EXPENDITURE.						
Sick pay	442 3 7	..	165 6 8	..	24 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	219 5 8	..	159 11 9	..	21 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	102 13 0	36 13 9	78 8 0	26 10 9	11 0 0	3 15 0
Management	..	69 5 1	..	58 16 9	..	14 3 6
Other expenditure	..	5 0 0	10 0 0[3]	43 0 11	..	1 3 9
Total Expenditure	544 16 7	330 4 6	253 14 8	288 0 2	35 10 0	40 2 3
Balance	6,771 0 1	126 1 2	3,031 10 0	102 1 7	888 13 11	9 5 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.						
Invested at interest	5,498 17 7	57 7 4	2,167 14 1½	75 11 11½	873 10 3	..
Invested in halls	736 0 0	68 13 10	817 6 3	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	20 0 0	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	536 2 6	..	26 9 7½	26 9 7½	15 3 8	9 5 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	185	185	146	135	18	20
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	12	3	2	6	2	..
Not entitled to benefits: New	3	2	..	1	..	..
Total	200	190	148	142	20	20
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.						
Admitted	5		4		..	
Departures: By death	5, £120[1]		2, £20[4]		..	
Departures: Otherwise	10		8		..	
Number of members sick	35		21		5	
Period of sickness	578 w.		191 w. 2 d.		24 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1[3]		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] £20 funeral donation for 1887 repaid.—[2] Value of land at Footscray transferred from incidental fund.—[3] Funeral donation advanced but not yet repaid.—[4] One member not entitled to benefits.—[5] Sick pay refunded by other lodges

CORIO DISTRICT—continued.

	4 Western. Colac. 1881.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Corio District. [1]	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 296 19 3½	£ s. d. 28 9 9½	£ s. d. 10,711 2 10½	£ s. d. 351 6 5½	£ s. d. 27 12 0	£ s. d. 88 1 1	£ s. d. 10,738 14 10½	£ s. d. 439 7 6½
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	76 5 0	66 17 9	629 16 0	573 16 7	8 0 6	9 3 8	637 16 6	583 0 3
Special levies	..	..	..	9 16 6	..	..	..	9 16 6
Initiation fees, &c.	..	1 16 6	..	5 7 0	..	..	..	5 7 0
Interest	13 5 0	0 10 0	525 12 4	28 17 0	..	..	525 12 4	28 17 0
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	217 1 0	75 0 3	217 1 0	75 0 3
Other receipts	..	2 6 0	45 3 4	26 12 0	..	3 3 0	45 3 4	29 15 0
Total Receipts	89 10 0	71 10 3	1,200 11 8	644 9 1	225 1 6	87 6 11	1,425 13 2	731 16 0
Total	386 9 3½	100 0 0½	11,911 14 6½	995 15 6½	252 13 6	175 8 0	12,164 8 0½	1,171 3 6½
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	15 9 0	..	647 9 3	..	13 13 4 [1]	..	661 2 7	..
Medical attendance	..	54 7 1	..	454 4 6	..	..	..	454 4 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	160 0 0	..	160 0 0	..
District and Board dues	25 0 0	8 0 9	217 1 0	75 0 3	..	..	217 1 0	75 0 3
Management	..	1 6 0	..	143 11 4	..	83 18 9	..	227 10 1
Other expenditure	..	0 10 6	10 0 0	49 15 2	..	31 9 11	10 0 0	81 5 1
Total Expenditure	40 9 0	64 4 4	874 10 3	722 11 3	173 13 4	115 8 8	1,048 3 7	837 19 11
Balance	346 0 3½	35 15 8½	11,037 4 3½	273 4 3½	79 0 2	59 19 4	11,116 4 5½	333 3 7½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	326 5 0	10 0 0	8,866 6 11½	142 19 3½	24 11 7	37 10 0	8,890 18 6½	180 9 3½
Invested in halls	..	..	1,553 6 3	68 13 10	..	..	1,553 6 3	68 13 10
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	20 0 0	..	..	..	20 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	19 15 3½	25 15 8½	597 11 1	61 11 2	54 8 7	22 9 4	651 19 8	84 0 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	37	39	..	..	6	5	392	384
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	6	..	..	.	..	20	15
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	2	..	..	..	..	6	5
Total	44	47	..	..	6 [1]	5 [1]	418	404
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	4		..		..		13	
Departures { By death	..		..		1, £20		8, £160	
Departures { Otherwise	1		..		..		19	
Number of members sick	5		..		4		70	
Period of sickness	15 w. 3 d.		..		13 w. 4 d.		823 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		1	

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

	1 Princess Alice. Hamilton. 1862.		2 Princess Alexandra. Penshurst. 1864.		3 Duke of Edinburgh. Dunkeld. 1868.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 2,825 3 1	£ s. d. − 14 2 3	£ s. d. 592 11 6	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 444 8 10½	£ s. d. 3 18 3
RECEIPTS.						
Contributions	131 1 0	121 13 6	95 14 8	79 7 0	39 14 10½	27 14 6
Special levies	..	..	..	31 14 10	..	6 12 6
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 19 6	..	3 5 6	..	0 10 0
Interest	163 15 6	1 10 0	27 6 0	..	17 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 15 9	20 9 1 [2]	11 2 0	10 0 0 [3]	..
Total Receipts	294 16 6	129 18 9	143 9 9	125 9 4	66 14 10½	34 17 0
Total	3,119 19 7	115 16 6	736 1 3	125 9 4	511 3 9	38 15 3
EXPENDITURE.						
Sick pay	134 0 0	..	42 13 4	..	34 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	62 7 6	..	82 17 6	..	20 10 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	19 10 0	17 3 6	15 6 0	13 7 0	5 15 0	4 10 6
Management	..	24 19 6	..	18 19 0	..	10 0 4
Other expenditure	..	0 16 10	..	3 16 7	..	2 11 0
Total Expenditure	153 10 0	105 7 4	57 19 4	119 0 1	40 8 4	37 11 10
Balance	2,966 9 7	10 9 2	678 1 11	6 9 3	470 15 5	1 3 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.						
Invested at interest	2,414 12 7	..	535 17 6	..	430 0 0	..
Invested in halls	394 15 2	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	55 0 0	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	102 1 10	10 9 2	142 4 5	6 9 3	40 15 5	1 3 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	62	60	54	51	19	21
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	20	21	5	8	2	4
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	7	4	6	4	1
Total	89	88	63	65	25	26
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.						
Admitted	9		6		2	
Departures { By death	1, £20		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	9		3		1	
Number of members sick	11		13		7	
Period of sickness	167 w.		42 w. 4 d.		34 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		£10 [4]	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] District members.—[2] Donations refunded by district, &c.—[3] Funeral donation repaid.—[4] Amount for 1887.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

HAMILTON DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	4 Coleraine. Coleraine. 1868.		5 Byaduk. Byaduk. 1868.		6 Marquis of Lorne. Casterton. 1872.		7 Border. Apsley. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Hamilton District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	664 19 11	10 12 11	150 13 0	5 5 9	870 18 6	76 16 7	..	..	5,548 14 10½	82 11 3	6 17 9	18 2 8	5,555 12 7½	100 13 11
Receipts.														
Contributions	94 3 2	62 15 0	19 15 10	13 18 2	122 16 6	99 11 2	13 15 2	..	517 1 2½	404 19 4	..	..	517 1 2½	404 19 4
Special levies	..	20 10 0	..	9 15 0	..	15 4 0	..	..	..	83 16 4	..	..	..	83 16 4
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 10 6	..	..	..	6 11 0	..	27 16 6	..	43 13 0	..	..	..	43 13 0
Interest	7 10 0	..	..	..	48 11 3	3 15 0	..	..	264 2 9	5 5 0	..	..	264 2 9	5 5 0
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	76 11 0	69 2 0	76 11 0	69 2 0
Other receipts	..	4 11 6	..	1 0 0	..	2 13 0	..	12 16 6	30 9 1	33 18 9	..	26 7 4	30 9 1	60 6 1
Total Receipts	101 13 2	88 7 0	19 15 10	24 13 2	171 7 9	127 14 2	13 15 2	40 13 0	811 13 0½	571 12 5	76 11 0	95 9 4	888 4 0½	667 1 9
Total	766 13 1	98 19 11	170 8 10	29 18 11	1,042 6 3	204 10 9	13 15 2	40 13 0	6,360 7 11	654 3 8	83 8 9	113 12 0	6,443 16 8	767 15 8
Expenditure.														
Sick pay	40 2 8	..	8 0 0	..	40 0 0	..	..	..	299 9 4	..	..	..	299 9 4	..
Medical attendance	..	77 13 6	..	12 8 4	..	74 4 4	..	7 15 0	..	337 16 2	..	..	..	337 16 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	76 11 0	..	80 0 0	..	80 0 0	..
District and Board dues	14 10 0	12 18 0	3 0 0	3 9 0	18 10 0	17 14 0	..	..	..	69 2 0	..	..	76 11 0	69 2 0
Management	..	4 13 0	..	4 13 0	..	35 19 2	..	1 2 6	..	100 6 6	..	60 8 6	..	160 15 0
Other expenditure	..	3 5 6	10 0 0	1 0 0	10 0 0[1]	3 2 6	..	6 6 0	20 0 0	20 18 5	..	47 13 1	20 0 0	68 11 6
Total Expenditure	54 12 8	98 10 0	21 0 0	21 10 4	68 10 0	131 0 0	..	15 3 6	396 0 4	528 3 1	80 0 0	108 1 7	476 0 4	636 4 8
Balance	712 0 5	0 9 11	149 8 10	8 8 7	973 16 3	73 10 9	13 15 2	25 9 6	5,964 7 7	126 0 7	3 8 9	5 10 5	5,967 16 4	131 11 0
Disposal of Funds.														
Invested at interest	300 0 0	..	86 15 0	..	973 16 3	50 0 0	..	..	4,741 1 4	50 0 0	..	..	4,741 1 4	50 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	394 15 2	..	..	..	394 15 2	..
Invested, other freehold property	200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	255 0 0	..	..	..	255 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	212 0 5	0 9 11	62 13 10	8 8 7	..	23 10 9	13 15 2	25 9 6	573 11 1	76 0 7	3 8 9	5 10 5	576 19 10	81 11 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	49	56	12	10	64	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	260	267
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	1	1	1	8	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	45
Not entitled to benefits { New	3	1	..	..	6	8	..	30	..	..	..	..	24	53
Total	56	58	13	11	78	87	..	30	..	..	..	..	324	365
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.														
Admitted	3		..		14		30		..		..		64	
Departures { By death	..		..		2, £20[2]		..		..		..		4, £60	
Departures { Otherwise	1		2		3		..		..		..		19	
Number of members sick	9		2		9		..		..		..		51	
Period of sickness	62 w. 2 d.		8 w.		40 w. 1 d.		..		..		..		354 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		£10[3]		..		..		..		£20	

[1] Funeral donation advanced.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits.—[3] Amount for 1887.

OVENS AND MURRAY DISTRICT.

	1 Beechworth. Beechworth. 1861.		2 Stanley. Stanley. 1862.		3 Yackandandah. Yackandandah. 1863.		4 Prince of Wales. Wandiligong. 1865.		5 Mansfield. Mansfield. 1866.		6 El Dorado. El Dorado. 1867.		7 Seymour. Seymour. 1870.		8 Avenel. Avenel. 1872.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,725 8 6	..	905 17 2	34 5 6	967 15 4	24 11 7	1,541 11 0	−12 18 7	647 8 5	3 14 10	1,005 10 9	0 11 5	467 16 5	−14 16 9	530 10 1	145 1 11
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	187 17 5	243 2 5	97 15 4	117 11 1	19 5 11	21 14 7	181 0 3	181 12 2	96 18 7	81 12 8	44 19 3	51 2 1	139 9 11½	149 4 5½	20 16 6	24 6 0
Special levies	..	11 11 0	..	0 2 0	..	7 15 0	..	46 18 6	..	7 12 6	..	37 10 0	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	11 8 0	..	5 15 6	..	3 10 6	..	1 10 0	..	2 7 0	..	..	..	3 5 6	..	4 17 0
Interest	52 4 9	2 0 0	46 0 0	1 2 6	51 10 10	2 10 6	76 2 0	0 15 0	26 15 0	..	29 10 0	1 10 0	17 9 0	..	32 3 9	3 2 6
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 11 9	..	7 4 0	..	1 2 0	..	9 2 0	..	8 17 0	..	0 5 0	..	14 4 7	..	2 2 0
Total Receipts	240 2 2	275 13 2	143 15 4	131 15 1	70 16 9	36 12 7	257 2 3	239 17 8	123 13 7	100 9 2	74 9 3	90 7 1	156 18 11½	166 14 6½	53 0 3	34 7 6
Total	1,965 10 8	275 13 2	1,049 12 6	166 0 7	1,038 12 1	61 4 2	1,798 13 3	226 19 1	771 2 0	104 4 0	1,080 0 0	90 18 6	624 15 4½	151 17 9½	583 10 4	179 9 5
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	79 10 0	..	32 8 8	..	40 0 0	..	161 10 10	..	111 16 4	..	146 16 8	..	96 17 0	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	163 3 9	..	89 18 0	..	16 12 6	..	131 10 0	..	63 0 10	..	126 8 9	..	92 14 3	..	23 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	20 6 6	36 0 0	9 4 9	16 14 6	1 17 9	3 8 3	19 12 3	34 9 3	9 11 0	17 2 9	4 8 3	7 15 6	12 3 0	21 14 9	2 14 6	5 3 3
Management	..	68 17 10	..	18 12 8	..	8 5 5	..	36 15 4	..	21 6 1	..	15 4 9	..	35 17 10	..	0 13 2
Other expenditure	20 0 0[1]	7 11 7	..	18 6 9	..	2 8 2	..	4 19 9	..	2 1 3	17 3 2[3]	0 3 0	..	2 8 9	27 6 9[4]	1 3 0
Total Expenditure	119 16 6	275 13 2	41 13 5	143 11 11	41 17 9	30 14 4	181 3 1	207 14 4	121 7 4	103 10 11	168 8 1	149 12 0	109 0 0	152 15 7	30 1 3	29 19 5
Balance	1,845 14 2	..	1,007 19 1	22 8 8	996 14 4	30 9 10	1,617 10 2	19 4 9	649 14 8	0 13 1	911 11 11	−58 13 6	515 15 4½	−0 17 9½	553 9 1	149 10 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	534 0 0	..	945 7 10	20 0 0	980 0 0	20 0 0	1,220 0 0	..	560 0 0	..	773 12 6	..	375 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	1,200 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	288 0 0	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	12 11 9	145 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	380 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	111 14 2	..	62 11 3	2 8 8	16 14 4	10 9 10	109 10 2	19 4 9	89 14 8	0 13 1	29 5 11	−58 13 6	139 17 7	−0 17 9½	160 17 4	4 10 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58 13 6	..	0 17 9½	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end o year.
Entitled to benefits	113	117	51	60	11	13	123	115	58	62	28	26	100	73	10	15
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	4	11	6	2	..	..	3	8	3	..	2	1	6	16	6	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	8	8	2	4	..	4	2	1	1	2	1	..	8	3	..	7
Total	125	136	59	66	11	17	128	124	62	64	31	27	114	92	16	22
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	21		10		6		2		5		..		7		7	
Departures { By death	2, £20[2]		..		..		..		..		..		2, £40		..	
Departures { Otherwise	8		3		..		6		3		4		27		1	
Number of members sick	22		11		4		25		19		12		19		..	
Period of sickness	99 w. 3 d.		32 w. 3 d.		68 w.		190 w. 5 d.		139 w. 4 d.		160 w. 1 d.		125 w.		..	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		..		..		..		1, £10		..		..		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation advanced.—[2] One funeral donation, £20, not yet received from District.—[3] Loss on Oriental Bank.—[4] Error in last year's balance-sheet.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

OVENS AND MURRAY DISTRICT—continued.

	9 Goulburn Valley. Nagambie. 1876.		10 Wunghnu. Wunghnu. 1882.		11 Numurkah. Numurkah. 1882.		12 Junction. Wangaratta. 1882.		13 Myrtleford. Myrtleford. 1884.		14 Corryong. Corryong. 1884.		15 Moira. Shepparton. 1885.		16 Yarrawonga. Yarrawonga. 1886.		17 Tallangatta.[5] Tallangatta. 1887.	
Name of branch																		
Where situated																		
Year when established ..																		
	Sick and Funl. Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	304 12 2	22 17 4	159 17 8	1 16 9	264 0 2	8 0 0	230 18 8	15 7 10	97 1 9	−1 1 9	107 4 8½	18 12 1½	22 13 0	5 1 0	117 18 0	15 3 11	11 12 11	12 18 3
RECEIPTS.																		
Contributions	65 0 4	66 2 11	33 17 6	41 16 6	95 19 9	101 0 10	83 12 9	55 14 5	46 4 1	50 16 2	82 19 0	76 3 1	24 17 10	28 16 1	112 19 9	118 5 10	..	..
Special levies	..	5 15 0	..	8 5 0	..	27 2 6	..	43 3 10	..	23 4 0	..	34 6 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	11 6 6	..	..	..	21 11 0	..	16 14 0	..	8 10 6	..	9 19 6	..	6 19 0	..	15 6 0	..	..
Interest	14 3 6	..	4 14 6	..	10 12 6	..	8 0 0	..	..	..	3 16 0	..	..	..	4 10 0	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	9 15 0	..	3 15 7	2 0 0[1]	19 14 8	..	4 4 5	20 0 0[2]	19 2 0	..	14 7 0	..	0 9 6	..	6 19 0	..	..
Total Receipts ..	79 3 10	92 19 5	38 12 0	53 17 1	108 12 3	169 9 0	91 12 9	119 16 8	66 4 1	101 12 8	86 15 0	134 15 7	24 17 10	36 4 7	117 9 9	140 10 10	..	..
Total	383 16 0	115 16 9	198 9 8	55 13 10	372 12 5	177 9 0	322 11 5	135 4 6	163 5 10	100 10 11	193 19 8½	153 7 8½	47 10 10	41 5 7	235 7 9	155 14 9	11 12 11	12 18 3
EXPENDITURE.																		
Sick pay	19 10 0	..	9 0 0	..	67 19 0	..	11 0 0	..	34 0 0	..	21 19 8	..	..	..	41 3 0	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	58 6 6	..	28 12 6	..	115 17 6	..	68 12 6	..	65 17 9	..	74 10 6	..	12 10 0	..	82 6 3	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	6 5 9	11 11 6	6 16 9	3 0 0	10 8 6	18 14 3	7 4 3	13 11 0	4 7 9	7 14 3	5 11 3	10 3 3	1 10 6	2 15 3	10 16 6	19 7 9	..	..
Management	..	12 11 1	..	11 4 3	..	29 6 0	..	13 0 11	..	24 5 1	..	20 19 0	..	6 10 4	..	21 4 1	..	..
Other expenditure	..	6 9 7	..	..	..	17 15 4	..	9 11 8	..	2 4 4	..	11 12 7	..	13 7 4	..	8 7 0	11 12 11	12 18 3
Total Expenditure ..	25 15 9	88 18 8	15 16 9	42 16 9	78 7 6	181 13 1	18 4 3	104 16 1	38 7 9	100 1 5	27 10 11	117 5 4	1 10 6	35 2 11	51 19 6	131 5 1	11 12 11	12 18 3
Balance	358 0 3	26 18 1	182 12 11	12 17 1	294 4 11	−4 4 1	304 7 2	30 8 5	124 18 1	0 9 6	166 8 9½	36 2 4½	46 0 4	6	183 8 3	24 9 8	..	..
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																		
Invested at interest	358 0 3	..	160 0 0	..	150 0 0	..	300 0 0	..	..	..	100 0 0	..	..	..	165 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	..	26 18 1	22 12 11	12 17 1	140 0 10	−4 4 1	4 7 2	30 8 5	124 18 1	0 9 6	66 8 9½	36 2 4½	46 0 4	6 2 8	18 8 3	24 9 8	..	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	4 4 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beging. of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	34	37	14	14	54	63	42	41	27	24	13	34	6	10	16	22	3	..
Not entitled { Unfinancial ..	1	..	12	3	3	6	18	17	22	12	14	3	3	2	20	35	11	..
to benefits { New	2	13	2	..	7	13	8	17	1	2	3	4	1	9	17	3	..	..
Total	37	50	28	17	64	82	68	75	50	38	30	41	10	21	53	60	14	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																		
Admitted	16		..		21		29		6		15		12		5		..	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		1, £20		£20[2]		..		..		1[4]		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	3		11		3		21		18		4		1		17		14	
Number of members sick ..	5		2		9		6		7		9		..		9		..	
Period of sickness	19 w. 3 d.		w.		71 w. 2 d.		11 w.		38 w. 4 d.		22 w.		..		41 w. 1 d.		..	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		1[3]		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[2] Funeral donation for 1887 repaid by District.—[3] Claim not yet paid.—[4] Not entitled to benefits.—[5] This lodge was closed during the year.

OVENS AND MURRAY DISTRICT—continued.

	18 Wandiligong (juvenile). Wandiligong. 1882.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total Ovens and Murray District.	
Name of branch								
Where situated								
Year when established								
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	33 16 6	9 5 7	9,141 13 2½	288 10 11½	299 14 10	— 12 19 2	9,441 8 0½	275 11 9½
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	2 11 4	1 10 5	1,336 5 6½	1,410 11 8½	5 4 0	..	1,341 9 6½	1,410 11 8½
Special levies	..	..	..	253 5 4	..	..	..	253 5 4
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 6 0	..	100 15 0	..	..	..	100 15 0
Interest	1 16 1	..	379 7 11	33 11 6	13 8 0	1 10 0	392 15 11	35 1 6
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	132 19 3	229 5 6	132 19 3	229 5 6
Other receipts	..	..	22 0 0	128 15 6	..	98 18 6	22 0 0	227 14 0
Total Receipts	4 7 5	1 16 5	1,737 13 5½	1,926 19 0½	151 11 3	329 14 0	1,889 4 8½	2,256 13 0½
Total	38 3 11	11 2 0	10,879 6 8	2,215 10 0	451 6 1	316 14 10	11,330 12 9	2,532 4 10
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	..	..	873 11 2	..	..	..	873 11 2	..
Medical attendance	..	0 16 3	..	1,213 17 10	..	..	..	1,213 17 10
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	140 0 0	..	140 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	132 19 3	229 5 6	..	..	132 19 3	229 5 6
Management	..	..	..	344 13 10	..	121 7 6	..	466 1 4
Other expenditure	1 19 9[1]	..	78 2 7	121 8 4	..	105 18 10	78 2 7	227 7 2
Total Expenditure	1 19 9	0 16 3	1,084 13 0	1,909 5 6	140 0 0	227 6 4	1,224 13 0	2,136 11 10
Balance	36 4 2	10 5 9	9,794 13 8	306 4 6	311 6 1	89 8 6	10,105 19 9	395 13 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	33 17 6	6 2 6	6,654 18 1	46 2 6	268 0 0	..	6,922 18 1	46 2 6
Invested in halls	..	..	1,550 11 9	145 0 0	..	..	1,550 11 9	145 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	380 0 0	..	..	..	380 0 0	..
Cash not bearing interest	2 6 8	4 3 3	1,145 8 5½	115 2 0	43 6 1	89 8 6	1,188 14 6½	204 10 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	63 15 4½	..	..	..	63 15 4½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	16	13	..	..	3	3	722	742
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	134	116
Not entitled to benefits — New	..	..	..	..	..	..	63	90
Total	16	13	..	..	3[2]	3[2]	919	948
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	2		..		..		184	
Departures — By death	..		..		..		6, £100	
Departures — Otherwise	5		..		..		149	
Number of members sick	..		..		..		159	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		1,028 w. 2 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		5, £40	

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT.

	1 Australia Felix. Melbourne. 1840.		2 Melbourne. Melbourne. 1840.		3 Victoria. Melbourne. 1847.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	12,556 17 1	102 10 9	11,891 15 0	37 5 4	3,353 18 0	17 10 5
RECEIPTS.						
Contributions	593 13 9½	576 15 10½	408 2 8	395 18 1	454 10 0	306 7 7
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	52 10 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	9 16 0	..	10 15 0	..	26 17 6
Interest	668 8 5	7 10 0	641 6 9	4 10 0	177 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	4 12 0	..	2 11 0	0 10 0[5]	11 1 9
Total Receipts	1,262 2 2½	598 13 10½	1,049 9 5	413 14 1	632 0 0	396 16 10
Total	13,818 19 3½	701 4 7½	12,941 4 5	450 19 5	3,985 18 0	414 7 3
EXPENDITURE.						
Sick pay	547 4 0	..	304 10 0	..	163 15 8	..
Medical attendance	..	419 4 3	..	305 15 2	..	287 6 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	121 9 0	48 8 10	82 6 6	45 12 3	90 16 0	50 3 10
Management	..	111 8 0	..	73 1 6	..	65 4 0
Other expenditure	1 12 4[3]	9 17 3	..	11 10 6	..	1 14 3
Total Expenditure	670 5 4	588 18 4	386 16 6	435 19 5	254 11 8	404 8 3
Balance	13,148 13 11½	112 6 3½	12,554 7 11	15 0 0	3,731 6 4	9 19 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.						
Invested at interest	10,265 0 0	25 0 0	10,549 15 0	15 0 0	3,100 0 0	..
Invested in halls	2,000 0 0	..	700 0 0	..	600 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	883 13 11½	87 6 3½	1,304 12 11	..	31 6 4	9 19 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	359	366	240	241	255	281
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	39	30	18	16	21	34
Not entitled to benefits — New	15	2	9	14	22	10
Total	413	398	267	271	298	325
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.						
Admitted	23		22		53	
Departures — By death	6, £100[4]		3, £60		1, £20	
Departures — Otherwise	32		15		25	
Number of members sick	45		31		29	
Period of sickness	838 w.		373 w. 5 d.		216 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	4, £40		3, £30		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Entrance fees to adult lodge, &c.—[2] District members.—[3] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[4] One member not entitled to benefits at death.—[5] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	4 Rose of England. Melbourne. 1850.		5 Britannia. Melbourne. 1851.		6 Hope of Richmond. Richmond. 1852.		7 Williamstown. Williamstown. 1855.		8 Rose of Brunswick. Brunswick. 1856.		9 Alliance. North Melbourne. 1856.		10 Cornucopia. Morang. 1858.		11 Albion. Brunswick. 1858.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	4,048 19 6½	409 5 3½	7,433 2 9	67 15 3	5,011 16 6	58 18 7	4,404 17 11	5 5 11	1,727 8 6½	57 2 6½	6,512 4 0	39 17 9	442 7 9	1 2 8	887 1 9	108 6 1
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	845 7 11	813 9 3	562 19 10	552 7 2	368 16 7½	365 1 2½	445 3 11	517 7 2	427 16 1¼	286 19 1¾	450 6 3	429 9 4	44 8 7	43 4 11	269 14 1	224 16 3
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	5 16 0	..	3 3 0	..	0 14 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	35 14 6	..	8 7 6	..	15 14 6	..	11 15 6	..	28 18 0	..	9 16 0	..	6 6 0	..	10 7 0
Interest	227 15 3	26 15 0	433 6 6	2 10 0	297 15 6	3 0 0	249 13 0	..	60 17 0	10 0 0	405 12 10	..	16 2 11	..	64 7 8	3 18 0
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	1 13 4[1]	3 13 6	..	4 6 0	14 1 11[1]	11 11 9	..	20 5 0	..	30 12 9	54 2 4[4]	114 2 3	..	3 2 3	2 18 4[1]	9 5 0
Total receipts	1,074 16 6	879 12 3	996 6 4	567 10 8	680 14 0½	401 3 5½	694 16 11	552 10 8	488 13 1¼	357 3 10¾	910 1 5	553 7 7	60 11 6	52 13 2	337 0 1	248 6 3
Total	5,123 16 0½	1,288 17 6½	8,429 9 1	635 5 11	5,692 10 6½	460 2 0½	5,099 14 10	557 16 7	2,216 1 7¾	414 6 5¼	7,422 5 5	593 5 4	502 19 3	53 15 10	1,224 1 10	356 12 4
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	669 9 2	..	520 13 4	..	266 14 11	..	371 17 2	..	287 3 4	..	383 0 4	..	7 3 4	..	129 5 4	..
Medical attendance	..	586 14 4	..	416 10 3	..	288 1 2	..	413 16 7	..	243 10 6	..	383 10 3	..	35 1 1	..	179 15 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	180 13 0	71 15 4	119 10 0	46 1 6	71 11 0	46 16 3	92 0 6	35 4 3	81 14 0	45 1 2	91 6 6	59 4 6	9 11 0	5 3 11	55 7 0	21 6 0
Management	..	157 3 7	..	99 7 6	..	51 15 4	..	95 5 6	..	47 15 6	..	104 5 0	..	10 16 0	..	35 14 3
Other expenditure	..	6 14 10	..	7 10 9	..	11 13 6	..	7 12 1	32 0 0[2]	4 13 6	20 0 0[5]	20 6 6	..	..	..	5 11 8
Total expenditure	850 2 2	822 8 1	640 3 4	569 10 0	338 5 11	398 6 3	463 17 8	551 18 5	400 17 4	341 0 8	494 6 10	567 6 3	16 14 4	51 1 0	184 12 4	242 7 2
Balance	4,273 13 10½	466 9 5½	7,789 5 9	65 15 11	5,354 4 7½	61 15 9½	4,635 17 2	5 18 2	1,815 4 3¾	73 5 9¼	6,927 18 7	25 19 1	486 4 11	2 14 10	1,039 9 6	114 5 2
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	3,195 0 0	437 10 0	7,250 0 0	50 0 0	5,175 0 0	30 0 0	3,682 4 6	..	981 14 2¾	73 5 9¼	6,680 0 0	..	450 0 4	..	1,012 0 0	55 0 0
Invested in halls	800 0 0	..	400 0 0	..	..	..	726 9 0	..	771 11 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	278 13 10½	28 19 5½	139 5 9	15 15 11	179 4 7½	31 15 9½	227 3 8	5 18 2	61 18 5	..	247 18 7	25 19 1	36 4 7	2 14 10	27 9 6	59 5 2
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	517	555	368	352	204	212	257	278	220	252	276	268	22	31	153	164
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	14	11	19	14	17	20	20	9	16	22	17	16	1	..	14	11
Not entitled to benefits { New	22	24	12	9	20	11	9	10	6	17	8	7	..	2	10	9
Total	553	590	399	375	241	243	286	297	242	291	301	291	23	33	177	184
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	80		17		27		26		64		21		11		19	
Departures { By death	8, £160		7, £140		2, £40		4, £80		2, £40		4, £80		..		4, £60[6]	
Departures { Otherwise	35		34		23		11		13		27		1		8	
Number of members sick	84		62		31		45		46		47		4		28	
Period of sickness	896 w.		745 w. 5 d.		353 w. 4 d.		531 w. 1 d.		325 w. 2 d.		535 w. 3 d.		7 w. 1 d.		134 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		6, £60		2, £20		2, £20		3, £40[3]		2, £20		..		..	

[1] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[2] Funeral donations advanced.—[3] Including £10 for 1887.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other lodges, and £50 funeral donations repaid.—[5] Funeral donations advanced for other lodges.—[6] One not entitled to benefits.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

	12 Yarra Yarra. Melbourne. 1859.		13 Kilmore. Kilmore. 1859.		14 Industry. Richmond. 1860.		15 Carlton. Carlton. 1860.		16 London. Carlton. 1860.		17 Albert. Ascot Vale. 1862.		18 Studley. Richmond. 1862.		19 Gellibrand. Williamstown. 1862.	
Name of branch																
Where situated																
Year when established ..																
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	786 1 5½	22 15 1½	2,218 16 5½	48 0 11½	4,675 6 0	161 19 4	1,612 15 7	48 16 0	957 9 4½	23 0 11½	1,634 9 9	59 12 4	1,044 16 5½	4 13 0	1,188 9 6½	6 3 3½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	116 2 8	112 9 6	76 18 10½	65 6 c½	663 16 3	633 14 1	210 19 9¼	142 6 2¾	114 17 2	105 8 5	392 3 6	319 8 8	143 19 6½	144 15 7½	274 19 5	267 16 8
Special levies	..	..	..	14 8 0	..	82 7 0	..	25 2 0	..	3 13 8	..	23 19 0	..	..	..	16 7 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 19 6	..	3 11 6	..	25 8 6	..	10 19 6	..	9 4 0	..	13 1 3	..	17 19 6	..	5 19 0
Interest	37 3 6	0 15 0	52 15 4	..	294 19 2	..	107 7 2	..	64 2 6	..	81 14 11	10 0 0	30 0 0	..	72 16 11	..
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	4 0 0[1]	3 18 0	10 0 0[2]	23 1 0	0 10 0[1]	7 13 0	11 7 2[1]	6 18 0	..	9 13 6	..	6 1 0	..	8 8 6
Total Receipts ..	153 6 2	118 4 0	133 14 2½	87 3 6½	968 15 5	764 10 7	318 16 11¼	186 0 8¾	190 6 10	125 4 1	473 18 5	376 2 5	173 19 6½	168 16 1½	347 16 4	298 11 2
Total	939 7 7½	140 19 1½	2,352 10 8	135 4 6	5,644 1 5	926 9 11	1,931 12 6¼	234 16 8¾	1,147 16 2½	148 5 0½	2,108 8 2	435 14 9	1,218 16 0	173 9 1½	1,536 5 10½	304 14 5½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	93 9 2	..	34 6 8	..	480 2 2	..	56 2 6	..	75 15 0	..	140 10 0	..	139 5 0	..	131 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	84 14 0	..	52 10 0	..	546 1 6	..	131 19 6	..	88 8 5½	..	255 4 6	..	114 6 5	..	227 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	23 8 6	9 1 0	16 11 6	9 2 10	134 15 0	53 11 3	41 7 6	16 10 11	23 12 0	9 8 11	78 7 0	43 4 7	29 15 6	11 13 5	56 13 6	22 10 6
Management	..	28 10 0	..	24 10 10	..	84 19 3	..	37 14 0	..	30 11 0	..	53 19 6	..	29 3 0	..	63 0 9
Other expenditure	..	0 9 7	..	6 12 6	..	13 5 10	10 0 0[4]	8 4 3	10 0 0[4]	4 0 0	..	5 14 0	..	4 10 6	..	2 6 9
Total Expenditure ..	116 17 8	122 14 7	50 18 2	92 16 2	614 17 2	697 17 10	107 10 0	194 8 8	109 7 0	132 8 4½	218 17 0	358 2 7	169 0 6	159 13 4	187 13 6	314 18 0
Balance	822 9 11½	18 4 6½	2,301 12 6	42 8 4	5,029 4 3	228 12 1	1,824 2 6¼	40 8 0¾	1,038 9 2½	15 16 8	1,889 11 2	77 12 2	1,049 15 6	13 15 9½	1,348 12 4½	−10 3 6½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	778 5 0	7 10 0	575 0 0	..	3,650 0 0	..	1,773 9 0	..	875 0 0	..	1,707 18 1	..	1,000 0 0	..	1,166 5 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	1,699 2 5	..	1,150 0 0	150 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43 3 0	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	44 4 11½	10 14 6½	27 10 1	42 8 4	229 4 3	78 12 1	50 13 6¼	40 8 c¾	163 9 2½	15 16 8	181 13 1	34 9 2	49 15 6	13 15 9½	122 3 10	−10 3 6½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10 3 6½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.																
Entitled to benefits	83	85	49	46	383	405	103	117	72	67	222	251	79	93	169	178
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	12	5	2	3	8	11	17	11	4	5	31	19	2	5	2	8
Not entitled to benefits { New	2	5	1	2	17	15	7	9	1	12	8	3	2	12	6	5
Total	97	95	52	51	408	431	127	137	77	84	261	273	83	110	177	191
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	10		6		46		23		18		30		27		17	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		1[2]		6, £120		..		2, £40		1, £20		..		2, £40	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	12		6		17		13		9		17		..		1	
Number of members sick ..	7		6		57		11		14		24		22		38	
Period of sickness	119 w. 2 d.		41 w. 4 d.		656 w. 2 d.		89 w. 3 d.		110 w. 5 d.		166 w. 3 d.		154 w.		152 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		3, £20[2]		2, £10[2]		3, £20[2]		1, £10		1, £10		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other lodges.—[2] One claim not yet paid by district.—[3] Funeral donations repaid.—[4] Funeral donations advanced.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	20 Benalla. Benalla. 1862.		21 Rose of Denmark. Coburg. 1863.		22 Heidelberg. Heidelberg. 1865.		23 La Trobe. Sale. 1866.		24 Mitchell. Bairnsdale. 1866.		25 Whittlesea. Whittlesea. 1867.		26 Mount Pleasant. Alexandra. 1867.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 788 6 7	£ s. d. 79 7 4	£ s. d. 528 14 4	£ s. d. 122 11 9	£ s. d. 1,238 19 6	£ s. d. 22 17 4	£ s. d. 1,653 4 8½	£ s. d. 57 1 5½	£ s. d. 1,528 3 2	£ s. d. 67 0 0	£ s. d. 79 19 2½	£ s. d. −2 4 6½	£ s. d. 60 11 7	£ s. d. 20 0 6
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	242 9 1	177 4 9	131 18 7	101 18 9	95 0 6	80 2 11	167 19 7	154 7 0	130 18 1	130 4 9	52 8 9	48 5 11	66 2 5	77 8 6
Special levies	..	24 10 6	..	15 16 0	..	3 0 0	..	50 14 6	..	8 9 0	..	9 10 3	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	34 14 0	..	17 18 9	..	1 1 0	..	4 14 6	..	7 5 0	..	3 3 0	..	0 7 6
Interest	38 4 9	..	25 16 0	16 0 0	23 17 6	..	83 1 7	25 0 0	90 11 0	..	2 8 0	..	7 4 10	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	14 11 6	..	9 1 9	..	2 13 6	20 0 0 [5]	30 19 6	..	9 14 11	..	3 0 6	20 0 0 [5]	0 11 0
Total Receipts	280 13 10	251 0 9	157 14 7	160 15 3	118 18 0	86 17 5	271 1 2	265 15 6	221 9 1	155 13 8	54 16 9	63 19 8	93 7 3	78 7 0
Total	1,069 0 5	330 8 1	686 8 11	283 7 0	1,357 17 6	109 14 9	1,924 5 10½	322 16 11½	1,749 12 3	222 13 8	134 15 11½	61 15 1½	153 18 10	98 7 6
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	86 0 0	..	86 3 4	..	73 11 10	..	114 6 8	..	44 14 10	..	18 13 4	..	45 19 4	..
Medical attendance	..	189 5 0	..	107 3 7	..	67 16 8	..	147 17 6	..	100 19 8	..	42 12 1	..	51 16 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	47 10 0	26 2 8	19 6 0	7 11 2	20 5 6	11 3 6	35 3 6	19 6 7	26 3 0	14 19 7	8 9 0	4 15 7	11 19 6	4 11 9
Management	..	28 5 6	..	17 8 0	..	19 10 7	..	40 19 9	..	39 14 6	..	14 15 4	..	17 13 9
Other expenditure	..	17 10 3	20 0 0 [2]	21 17 6	..	1 17 3	..	0 17 6	..	4 16 5	..	1 16 3	..	0 9 9
Total Expenditure	133 10 0	261 3 5	125 9 4	154 0 3	93 17 4	100 8 0	149 10 2	209 1 4	70 17 10	160 10 2	27 2 4	63 19 3	57 18 10	74 11 8
Balance	935 10 5	69 4 8	560 19 7	129 6 9	1,264 0 2	9 6 9	1,774 15 8½	113 15 7½	1,678 14 5	62 3 6	107 13 7½	−2 4 1½	96 0 0	23 15 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	1,000 0 0	..	500 0 0	..	1,263 5 6	..	1,640 1 0	..	1,420 0 0	..	60 0 0	..	30 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	60 19 7	125 0 0	..	..	..	105 0 0	180 0 0	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65 0 0	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	−64 9 7 [1]	69 4 8	..	4 6 9	0 14 8	9 6 9	134 14 8½	8 15 7½	75 17 11	−2 16 6	45 9 6	−2 4 1½	66 0 0	23 15 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 16 6	..	2 4 1½	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	113	130	38	48	68	61	102	107	67	76	27	28	31	36
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	8	19	12	17	1	4	3	..	7	8	4	6	5	2
Not entitled to benefits: New	25	16	5	17	2	2	5	5	12	4	2	3	..	..
Total	146	165	55	82	71	67	110	112	86	88	33	37	36	38
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	42		28		2		8		10		5		3	
Departures: By death	2, £40		..		1, £20		£20 [6]		2, £20 [7]		..		£20 [6]	
Departures: Otherwise	21		1		5		6		6		1		1	
Number of members sick	21		16		10		12		13		4		4	
Period of sickness	110 w.		112 w. 1 d.		96 w.		149 w.		44 w. 5d.		18 w. 4 d.		71 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		2 [3]		2, £10 [4]		1 [4]		2, £20		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Amount borrowed from Incidental Fund.—[2] Funeral donations advanced.—[3] Claims not yet paid by district.—[4] One husband not entitled to benefits.—[5] Funeral donations repaid.—[6] Amount for 1887.—[7] One member not entitled to benefits.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	27 Prospectors.[1] Raspberry Creek. 1868.		28 Romsey. Romsey. 1868.		29 Footscray. Footscray. 1868.		30 Diamond Creek. Diamond Creek. 1870.		31 Woodend. Woodend. 1871.		32 Caledonia. St. Andrew. 1872.		33 Omeo. Omeo. 1873.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 274 9 9	£ s. d. 5 15 7	£ s. d. 306 12 7	£ s. d. 3 15 10	£ s. d. 1,263 7 6	£ s. d. 82 18 5	£ s. d. 98 3 11	£ s. d. 34 7 11	£ s. d. 538 17 9	£ s. d. 28 12 10	£ s. d. 59 1 4	£ s. d. − 51 7 9	£ s. d. 387 15 0½	£ s. d. 8 16 5½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	..	..	87 6 2	62 8 7	263 13 7	285 15 1	54 11 7¾	36 10 3¼	80 11 0	54 11 4	44 14 2	33 11 0	58 18 6	39 13 1
Special levies	..	..	..	22 7 9	..	3 15 0	..	6 14 0	..	25 8 6	..	1 0 0	..	14 16 11
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	..	6 1 0	..	14 17 6	..	0 10 6	..	5 5 0	..	1 1 0	..	3 2 6
Interest	..	..	14 4 10	..	91 12 9	0 18 5	2 10 0	1 5 0	23 6 4	..	..	..	14 4 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	2 14 3	..	11 7 7	..	5 6 11	..	6 0 11	..	2 3 0	8 16 5[5]	16 19 3
Total Receipts	..	..	101 11 0	93 11 7	355 6 4	316 13 7	57 1 7¾	50 6 8¼	103 17 4	91 5 9	44 14 2	37 15 0	81 18 11	74 11 9
Total	274 9 9	5 15 7	408 3 7	97 7 5	1,618 13 10	399 12 0	155 5 6¾	84 14 7¼	642 15 1	119 18 7	103 15 6	− 13 12 9	469 13 11½	83 8 2½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	35 13 4	..	152 10 0	..	11 10 0	..	11 13 4	..	10 12 0	..	14 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	68 8 9	..	205 10 4	..	12 3 0	..	66 11 9	..	30 10 0	..	58 3 9½
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	0 14 0	0 3 6	14 19 6	8 6 1	52 19 0	22 19 11	10 15 0	4 2 3	16 17 0	9 5 3	9 10 6	5 4 9	7 4 0	2 16 3
Management	..	..	..	15 10 0	..	54 3 9	..	17 9 0	..	15 2 6	..	17 3 2	..	5 3 6
Other expenditure	273 15 9	5 12 1	20 0 0[2]	7 12 9	0 15 4[4]	9 10 0	..	8 5 3	..	3 1 3	..	1 2 9	..	22 17 10½
Total Expenditure	274 9 9	5 15 7	70 12 10	99 17 7	206 4 4	292 4 0	22 5 0	41 19 6	28 10 4	94 0 9	20 2 6	54 0 8	21 4 0	89 1 5
Balance	..	..	337 10 9	−2 10 2	1,412 9 6	107 8 0	133 0 6¾	42 15 1¼	614 4 9	25 17 10	83 13 0	−67 13 5	448 9 11½	−5 13 2½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	300 0 0	..	1,400 0 0	15 12 3	100 0 0	25 0 0	610 0 0	10 0 0	..	..	315 15 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	..	..	35 0 7	−2 10 2	12 9 6	91 15 9	33 0 6¾	17 15 1¼	4 4 9	15 17 10	15 19 7	−67 13 5	127 1 9	−5 13 2½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	2 10 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	67 13 5	..	5 13 2½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	5	..	36	47	143	163	28	33	46	46	28	29	25	18
Not entitled to benefits: Unfinancial	..	..	5	2	6	3	5	1	1	3	7	..	16	15
Not entitled to benefits: New	2	..	8	3	5	15	3	..	4	10	..	1	2	1
Total	7	..	49	52	154	181	36	34	51	59	35	30	43	34
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	..	..	7		35		1		10		2		3	
Departures: By death	..	..	1[3]		1, £20		..		..		..		..	
Departures: Otherwise	7		3		7		3		2		7		12	
Number of members sick	..		10		29		3		7		3		4	
Period of sickness	..		40 w. 4 d.		169 w. 1 d.		11 w. 3 d.		11 w. 4d.		13 w. 1 d.		14 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		2, £20		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] This lodge was closed during the year.—[2] Funeral donations advanced.—[3] Claim not yet paid by district.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[5] Error in balance.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

	34 Lancefield. Lancefield. 1881.		35 Lindenow. Lindenow. 1883.		36 Tambo. Bruthen. 1883.		37 Yering. Yarra Flats. 1883.		38 Solway. Williamstown. 1884.		39 Doutta Galla. Newmarket. 1885.		40 Toongabbie. Toongabbie. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 174 4 5	£ s. d. 2 2 6	£ s. d. 158 1 3¼	£ s. d. 22 14 1¾	£ s. d. 151 0 7	£ s. d. 9 4 0	£ s. d. 125 9 8	£ s. d. 20 9 2	£ s. d. 143 3 11	£ s. d. 10 2 9	£ s. d. 235 1 1	£ s. d. 13 4 8	£ s. d. 32 11 4	£ s. d. 4 19 11
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	62 13 7	72 5 9	103 5 1¼	68 13 8¾	68 10 10	64 18 6	90 18 6	59 6 4	97 15 11	64 16 6	213 9 8	189 1 9	125 12 5	123 1 5
Special levies	..	0 10 0	..	31 10 0	..	8 16 0	..	15 13 6	..	28 0 0	..	..	..	13 12 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	9 6 6	..	2 12 6	..	6 8 6	..	5 6 6	..	6 8 6	..	26 14 0	..	11 15 6
Interest	7 2 10	..	.. [1]	..	5 5 0	..	2 10 0	..	10 10 1	..	11 10 0	..	..	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 5 6	..	6 19 6	..	4 3 0	..	5 3 0	..	1 13 0	..	27 19 6	..	7 16 2
Total Receipts	69 16 5	89 7 9	103 5 1¼	109 15 8¾	73 15 10	84 6 0	93 8 6	85 9 4	108 6 0	100 18 0	224 19 8	243 15 3	125 12 5	156 5 1
Total	244 0 10	91 10 3	261 6 4½	132 9 10½	224 16 5	93 10 0	218 18 2	105 18 6	251 9 11	111 0 9	460 0 9	256 19 11	158 3 9	161 5 0
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	7 14 3	..	75 6 8	..	31 0 0	..	8 6 8	..	59 0 0	..	39 0 0	..	53 13 4	..
Medical attendance	..	48 15 0	..	82 19 4	..	55 0 0	..	59 4 6	..	71 7 3	..	165 15 9	..	110 0 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	10 16 0	6 0 8	20 18 0	11 10 4	14 3 6	7 15 9	17 12 6	9 14 4	19 14 0	11 9 1	41 13 6	22 14 11	14 2 0	8 13 3
Management	..	14 10 3	..	12 8 6	..	28 18 1	..	18 14 0	..	12 2 6	..	37 18 6	..	14 3 6
Other expenditure	..	3 12 3	..	..	..	0 8 6	8 16 8 [2]	4 1 11	..	2 4 7	..	8 8 9	..	8 3 10
Total Expenditure	18 10 3	72 18 2	96 4 8	106 18 2	45 3 6	92 2 4	34 15 10	91 14 9	78 14 0	97 3 5	80 13 6	234 17 11	67 15 4	141 1 4
Balance	225 10 7	18 12 1	165 1 8½	25 11 8½	179 12 11	1 7 8	184 2 4	14 3 9	172 15 11	13 17 4	379 7 3	22 2 0	90 8 5	20 3 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	200 0 0	..	..	..	150 5 0	..	100 0 0	..	172 13 4	..	200 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	25 10 7	18 12 1	165 1 8½	25 11 8½	29 7 11	1 7 8	84 2 4	14 3 9	0 2 7	13 17 4	179 7 3	22 2 0	90 8 5	20 3 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	30	33	63	59	40	42	39	55	53	53	98	126	46	67
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	5	3	4	8	4	4	..	..	5	11	10	12	3	7
Not entitled to benefits { New	6	6	4	3	3	3	12	3	6	6	16	18	14	8
Total	41	42	71	70	47	9	51	58	64	70	124	156	63	82
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	9		4		8		13		11		47		24	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		1, £20		1, £20		..	
Departures { Otherwise	8		5		6		6		4		14		5	
Number of members sick	2		15		6		2		13		13		10	
Period of sickness	7 w. 5 d.		75 w. 2 d.		31 w.		8 w. 2 d.		59 w.		39 w.		53 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		..	

[1] This lodge neglected to invest its money at interest.—[2] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

	41 Warragul. Warragul. 1886.		42 Orbost. Orbost. 1886.		43 Bumberrah. Swan Reach. 1886.		44 Cowwarr. [2] Cowwarr. 1887.		45 Traralgon. Traralgon. 1887.		46 Heyfield. * Heyfield. 1887.		47 Newport. Newport. 1887.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	49 9 7	−0 9 10	76 5 3	29 4 11	25 2 3	5 9 8	21 0 11	7 14 3	5 1 10	5 8 10	..	..	..	..
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	88 17 0	69 17 5	73 6 6	58 14 5	24 19 10	21 19 11	..	..	42 19 2	28 12 3	..	..	27 1 9½	29 9 3
Special levies	..	1 13 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 17 6	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	43 16 6	..	3 3 0	..	2 17 6	..	..	..	8 0 0	..	..	..	11 11 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	12 10 6	..	3 18 6	..	9 6 8	..	..	5 4 1 [3]	22 14 6	0 18 0	0 13 6	3 5 6 [4]	6 9 7 [4]
Total Receipts	88 17 0	127 17 5	73 6 6	65 15 11	24 19 10	34 4 1	..	..	48 3 3	62 4 3	0 18 0	0 13 6	30 7 3½	47 9 10
Total	138 6 7	127 7 7	149 11 9	95 0 10	50 2 1	39 13 9	21 0 11	7 14 3	53 5 1	67 13 1	0 18 0	0 13 6	30 7 3½	47 9 10
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	6 11 10	..	12 0 0	..	19 11 10	..	..	..	7 11 4	..	..	..	5 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	39 6 2	..	40 6 3	..	22 10 1	..	..	..	34 14 0	..	..	..	31 2 1
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	13 2 0	7 7 3	10 9 0	5 13 0	5 1 6	6 2 1	..	..	7 6 0	3 17 10	0 18 0	0 13 6	4 19 0	7 2 4
Management	..	30 9 6	..	20 19 5½	..	4 7 6	..	..	..	11 11 6	..	..	..	11 6 4
Other expenditure	..	16 19 10	0 1 0 [1]	12 13 2	..	1 9 0	21 0 11	7 14 3	..	12 5 10	..	..	..	4 2 6
Total Expenditure	19 13 10	94 2 9	22 10 0	79 11 10½	24 13 4	34 8 8	21 0 11	7 14 3	14 17 4	62 9 2	0 18 0	0 13 6	9 19 0	53 13 3
Balance	118 12 9	33 4 10	127 1 9	15 8 11½	25 8 9	5 5 1	..	..	38 7 9	5 3 11	..	..	20 8 3½	−6 3 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	68 12 9	33 4 10	127 1 9	15 8 11½	25 8 9	5 5 1	..	..	38 7 9	5 3 11	..	..	14 4 10½	−6 3 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 3 5	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	12	44	22	29	29	12	16	..	11	23	..	18	..	21
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	17	..	23	10	..	15	8	..	7	4	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	..	27	6	5	1	3	3	..	15	11	..	..	..	9
Total	29	71	51	44	30	30	27	..	33	38	..	18	..	30
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	54		6		5		..		16		18		34 [5]	
Departures — By death	1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	11		13		5		27		11		..		4	
Number of members sick	5		4		2		..		1		..		2	
Period of sickness	6 w. 4 d.		12 w.		19 w. 4 d.		..		7 w. 4 d.		..		5 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

* Complete returns were not furnished for this lodge.—[1] Exchange wrongly debited to this fund.—[2] This lodge was closed during 1888—[3] Transferred from the Incidental Fund—[4] Including balance at beginning of year.—[5] Including members admitted during 1887.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT—continued.

	48 Healesville. Healesville. 1887.		49 Ringwood. Ringwood. 1887.		50 Welcome (juvenile).[3] Melbourne. 1881.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Port Phillip District.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year..	..	..	..	..	73 8 6	8 2 4	82,465 1 0¼	1,898 2 0¼	−55 18 9	89 9 10	82,409 2 3¼	1,987 11 10¼
RECEIPTS.												
Contributions	43 8 8	30 10 6	40 19 11	28 12 6	..	..	9,445 7 11	8,495 3 4½	9 11 0	9 10 0	9,454 18 11	8,504 13 4½
Special levies	..	2 18 6	..	..	..	..	..	519 12 7	..	..	..	519 12 7
Initiation fees, &c.	..	10 18 0	..	12 13 6	..	..	..	527 3 0	..	..	..	527 3 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,437 4 10	112 1 5	..	7 10 0	4,437 4 10	119 11 5
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,993 7 6[4]	948 14 2[4]	1,993 7 6	948 14 2
Other receipts	1 2 3[1]	12 17 6[1]	1 18 4[1]	18 14 10[1]	..	..	160 7 8	544 6 1	267 14 4	189 17 7	428 2 0	734 3 8
Total Receipts	44 10 11	57 4 6	42 18 3	60 0 10	..	..	14,043 0 5	10,198 6 5½	2,270 12 10	1,155 11 9	16,313 13 3	11,353 18 2½
Total	44 10 11	57 4 6	42 18 3	60 0 10	73 8 6	8 2 4	96,508 1 5¼	12,096 8 5¾	2,214 14 1	1,245 1 7	98,722 15 6¼	13,341 10 0¾
EXPENDITURE.												
Sick pay	2 0 0	..	25 13 4	..	..	..	5,859 4 4	..	116 5 0	..	5,975 9 4	..
Medical attendance	..	12 5 6	..	26 3 3	..	..	..	7,007 17 10	..	331 3 4[6]	..	7,339 1 2
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,620 0 0	..	1,620 0 0	..
District and Board dues	5 15 0	2 19 7	7 7 0	3 14 8	..	..	1,876 7 6	906 18 8	..	..	1,876 7 6	906 18 8
Management	..	20 10 2	..	7 17 9	..	..	..	1,753 1 4½	..	412 11 2	..	2,165 12 6½
Other expenditure	..	9 11 6	..	9 17 0	73 8 6	8 2 4	491 10 6	349 10 4½	110 0 0[5]	304 10 0	601 10 6	654 0 4½
Total Expenditure..	7 15 0	45 6 9	33 0 4	47 12 8	73 8 6	8 2 4	8,227 2 4	10,017 8 3	1,846 5 0	1,048 4 6	10,073 7 4	11,065 12 9
Balance	36 15 11	11 17 9	9 17 11	12 8 2	..	..	88,280 19 1¼	2,079 0 2¾	368 9 1	196 17 1	88,649 8 2¼	2,275 17 3¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.												
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	73,378 10 11¾	743 18 0¼	..	31 5 0	73,378 10 11¾	775 3 0¼
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,138 2 8	380 0 0	..	..	9,138 2 8	380 0 0
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	108 3 0	..	..	..	108 3 0
Cash not bearing interest	36 15 11	11 17 9	9 17 11	12 8 2	..	..	5,667 1 1	846 19 2½	368 9 1	165 12 1	6,035 10 2	1,012 11 3½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	97 4 4½	..	..	..	97 4 4½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	17	..	22	..	..	..	..	8	8	5,255	5,693
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	6	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	440	418
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	338	373
Total	..	31	..	38	..	..	..	..	8[7]	8[7]	6,033	6,484
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.												
Admitted	34[2]		39[2]		..		..		..		1,018	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		63, £1,200	
Departures { Otherwise	3		1		..		..		..		504	
Number of members sick	1		3		..		..		5		851	
Period of sickness	2 w.		25 w. 4 d.		..		..		199 w. 2 d.		7,861 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		48, £420	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Including balance at beginning of year.—[2] Including members admitted during 1887.—[3] This lodge was closed during the year.—[4] The dues received from lodges in the Yarra Yarra District are included in these amounts.—[5] Funeral donations for members of lodges in Yarra Yarra district.—[6] Payments to district oculist and aurist, &c.—[7] District members.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

PORT FAIRY DISTRICT.

	1 Prince Albert. Port Fairy. 1848.		2 Prince of Wales. Portland. 1860.		3 Villiers. Yambuk. 1863.		4 Prince Alfred. Koroit. 1868.		5 Macarthur. Macarthur. 1876.		6 Farmers' Rest. Broadwater. 1888.		Total of Lodge Funds.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	3,360 0 4½	−45 1 2½	2,272 3 0	35 3 5	794 4 7	−13 15 0	647 10 4	10 10 8	182 1 10	3 15 10	..	..	7,256 0 1½	−9 6 3½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	146 12 5	143 3 1	80 16 11	74 4 9	57 14 11	44 10 1	95 19 2	89 19 2	15 0 1	10 14 5	8 13 5	5 9 7	404 16 11	368 1 1
Special levies	..	10 5 0	..	22 16 0	..	19 10 0	..	12 19 0	..	..	..	..	..	65 10 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 6 6	..	1 1 0	..	1 1 0	..	3 13 6	..	..	..	9 0 0	..	19 2 0
Interest	164 18 8	..	116 7 7	..	38 4 10	..	32 14 9	..	9 0 0	..	..	..	361 5 10	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	112 6 1	..	1 15 2	..	4 1 4	..	0 1 0	..	..	..	2 10 4	..	120 13 11
Total Receipts	311 11 1	270 0 8	197 4 6	99 16 11	95 19 9	69 2 5	128 13 11	106 12 8	24 0 1	10 14 5	8 13 5	16 19 11	766 2 9	573 7 0
Total	3,671 11 5½	224 19 5½	2,469 7 6	135 0 4	890 4 4	55 7 5	776 4 3	117 3 4	206 1 11	14 10 3	8 13 5	16 19 11	8,022 2 10½	564 0 8½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	228 13 4	..	142 0 8	..	35 13 4	..	70 3 4	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	478 10 8	..
Medical attendance	..	79 0 0	..	59 5 0	..	34 15 0	..	63 10 0	..	2 1 6	..	..	..	238 11 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	19 14 0	25 0 6	13 0 6	15 13 6	8 14 0	11 4 6	13 18 6	17 0 6	1 5 0	1 10 0	..	..	56 12 0	70 9 0
Management	..	56 10 3	..	37 17 5	..	13 11 0	..	21 7 6	..	0 12 0	..	11 16 3	..	141 14 5
Other expenditure	..	53 5 2	20 0 0[1]	6 15 4	..	..	10 0 0[1]	19 8 2	..	0 0 6	..	..	30 0 0	79 9 2
Total Expenditure	248 7 4	213 15 11	175 1 2	119 11 3	44 7 4	59 10 6	94 1 10	121 6 2	3 5 0	4 4 0	..	11 16 3	565 2 8	530 4 1
Balance	3,423 4 1½	11 3 6½	2,294 6 4	15 9 1	845 17 0	−4 3 1	682 2 5	−4 2 10	202 16 11	10 6 3	8 13 5	5 3 8	7,457 0 2½	33 16 7½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	2,295 0 0	..	2,292 9 0	..	802 12 4	..	677 19 7	..	150 0 0	..	8 13 5	..	6,226 14 4	..
Invested in halls	400 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	400 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	671 13 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	671 13 4	..
Cash not bearing interest	56 10 9½	11 3 6½	1 17 4	15 9 1	39 1 7	−4 3 1	..	−4 2 10	52 16 11	10 6 3	..	5 3 8	150 6 7½	33 16 7½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	4 3 1	..	4 2 10	..	..	..	..	..	8 5 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	85	89	59	55	31	36	45	51	9	10	..	6	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	11	11	..	3	..	2	21	17	1	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	2	1	..	1	10	2	6	5	..	..	..	12	..	..
Total	98	101	59	59	41	40	72	73	10	10	..	18	..	..
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	8		1		2		6		..		18		..	
Departures — By death	1, £20		1, £20		..		1[2]		..		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	4		..		3		4		..		..		..	
Number of members sick	23		14		10		7		1		..		..	
Period of sickness	318 w. 4 d.		194 w. 1 d.		35 w. 4 d.		122 w. 1 d.		2 w.		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		1, £10		1, £10		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation advanced.—[2] Not entitled to benefits.

PORT FAIRY DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	District Funds.[1] Funeral Fund.	District Funds.[1] Incidental Fund.	Total of Port Fairy District. Sick and Funeral Fund.	Total of Port Fairy District. Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	15 4 10	12 3 3	7,271 4 11½	2 16 11½
RECEIPTS.				
Contributions	..	..	404 16 11	368 1 1
Special levies	..	..	..	65 10 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	..	19 2 0
Interest	..	..	361 5 10	..
District and Board dues	56 12 0	70 9 0	56 12 0	70 9 0
Other receipts	..	..	..	120 13 11
Total Receipts	56 12 0	70 9 0	822 14 9	643 16 0
Total	71 16 10	82 12 3	8,093 19 8½	646 12 11½
EXPENDITURE.				
Sick pay	..	..	478 10 8	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	238 11 6
Funeral donations	70 0 0	..	70 0 0	..
District and Board dues	..	..	56 12 0	70 9 0
Management	..	50 0 0	..	191 14 5
Other expenditure	..	20 9 0	30 0 0	99 18 2
Total Expenditure	70 0 0	70 9 0	635 2 8	600 13 1
Balance	1 16 10	12 3 3	7,458 17 0½	45 19 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.				
Invested at interest	..	..	6,226 14 4	..
Invested in halls	..	..	400 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	671 13 4	..
Cash not bearing interest	1 16 10	12 3 3	152 3 5½	45 19 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	8 5 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	..	229	247
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	33	33
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	..	18	21
Total	..	..	280	301
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.				
Admitted	..	..	35	35
Departures { By death	..	..	3, £40	3, £40
Departures { Otherwise	..	..	11	11
Number of members sick	..	..	55	55
Period of sickness	..	..	672 w. 4 d.	672 w. 4 d.
Deaths of registered wives	..	..	3, £30	3, £30

SOUTH MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

	1 Good Intent. Prahran. 1854. Sick and Funeral Fund.	1 Good Intent. Prahran. 1854. Incidental Fund.	2 Olive Branch. St. Kilda. 1855. Sick and Funeral Fund.	2 Olive Branch. St. Kilda. 1855. Incidental Fund.	3 Emerald Hill. South Melbourne. 1856. Sick and Funeral Fund.	3 Emerald Hill. South Melbourne. 1856. Incidental Fund.	4 Prince of Wales. St. Kilda. 1861. Sick and Funeral Fund.	4 Prince of Wales. St. Kilda. 1861. Incidental Fund.	5 Sandridge. Port Melbourne. 1862. Sick and Funeral Fund.	5 Sandridge. Port Melbourne. 1862. Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	5,335 1 8	63 6 4	2,734 12 2	52 17 1	3,556 10 8	50 13 1	4,624 11 9½	21 13 8	421 7 11	3 15 8
RECEIPTS.										
Contributions	447 19 8	308 2 4	195 16 9	188 7 1	491 15 0	481 5 6	237 4 9	226 14 10	85 16 6	84 16 2
Special levies	..	97 0 0	..	19 7 0	..	62 19 0	..	30 3 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	13 9 0	..	6 19 0	..	16 10 6	..	14 16 0	..	1 6 0
Interest	327 5 6	0 12 6	160 9 0	..	220 5 6	0 15 0	233 1 1	..	43 7 6	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	66 4 3	0 10 4[4]	7 18 11	..	18 16 4	..	8 5 7	..	3 6 6
Total Receipts	775 5 2	485 8 1	356 16 1	222 12 0	712 0 6	580 6 4	470 5 10	279 19 5	129 4 0	89 8 8
Total	6,110 6 10	548 14 5	3,091 8 3	275 9 1	4,268 11 2	630 19 5	5,094 17 7½	301 13 1	550 11 11	93 4 4
EXPENDITURE.										
Sick pay	461 10 4	..	148 7 0	..	321 12 2	..	190 10 8	..	43 3 4	..
Medical attendance	..	390 3 9	..	142 11 6	..	292 16 9	..	171 1 6	..	49 18 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	64 2 9	60 12 0	28 7 3	26 10 3	72 0 9	67 17 6	31 10 9	30 8 0	12 14 3	12 0 3
Management	..	80 15 6	..	56 18 10	..	150 0 7	..	67 5 5	..	22 11 0
Other expenditure	27 15 4[2]	3 14 4	10 0 0[5]	4 3 10	60 15 8[7]	22 17 7	4 0 0[7]	1 9 1	..	1 4 6
Total Expenditure	553 8 5	535 5 7	186 14 3	230 4 5	454 8 7	533 12 5	226 1 5	270 4 0	55 17 7	85 14 3
Balance	5,556 18 5	13 8 10	2,904 14 0	45 4 8	3,814 2 7	97 7 0	4,868 16 2½	31 9 1	494 14 4	7 10 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.										
Invested at interest	4,915 0 0	..	2,475 0 0	..	3,675 0 0	7 10 0	4,849 0 0	..	350 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	641 18 5	13 8 10	429 14 0	45 4 8	139 2 7	89 17 0	19 16 2½	31 9 1	144 14 4	7 10 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	273	268	114	122	301	313	131	139	55	55
Not entitled { Unfinancial	14	21	8	4	13	18	15	18	1	2
Not entitled { New	10	12	5	4	12	16	10	3	6	1
Total	297	301	127	130	326	347	156	160	62	58
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.										
Admitted	32		12		49		15		3	
Departures { By death	1, £20		2, £20[6]		5, £80[6]		2, £40		..	
Departures { Otherwise	27		7		23		9		7	
Number of members sick	53		22		46		18		13	
Period of sickness	609 w. 2 d.		175 w. 1 d.		426 w. 4 d.		218 w. 5 d.		45 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £10[3]		1[3]		4, £40		2, £20		1, £10	

[1] No complete return was furnished showing the receipts and expenditure of the District Funds.—[2] Sick pay advanced for other lodges, and funeral donation advanced.—[3] One claim not yet paid by district.—[4] Sick pay refunded by other lodges. Funeral donation advanced.—[6] One member not entitled to benefits.—[7] Sick pay advanced for other lodges

SOUTH MELBOURNE DISTRICT—continued.

	6 Toorak. Malvern. 1862.		7 Galatea. South Yarra. 1868.		8 Prince Alfred. Brighton. 1870.		9 Minerva. South Melbourne. 1875.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of South Melbourne District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,962 16 2½	15 16 1	1,302 16 7¼	2 10 8¾	375 17 7	13 14 7½	1,217 10 9	0 8 7	21,531 5 4¼	224 15 10¾	48 2 3	177 19 3	21,579 7 7¼	402 15 1¼
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	174 5 0	171 13 0	231 0 5¾	216 7 5¼	165 10 7½	151 0 0½	186 7 9	176 15 3	2,215 16 6¼	2,005 1 7¾	..	3 0 0	2,215 16 6¼	2,008 1 7¾
Special levies	..	11 6 0	..	..	..	..	..	11 3 0	..	231 18 0	..	..	..	231 18 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	3 10 3	..	14 9 6	..	28 11 0	..	4 1 0	..	103 12 3	..	..	..	103 12 3
Interest	130 15 8	..	68 17 0	..	17 19 0	..	47 15 7	..	1,249 15 10	1 7 6	..	4 14 0	1,249 15 10	6 1 6
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	316 2 0	297 7 3	316 2 0	297 7 3
Other receipts	20 0 0[1]	7 8 6	..	8 8 5	..	6 8 6	..	11 2 10	20 10 4	137 19 10	..	51 12 9	20 10 4	189 12 7
Total Receipts	325 0 8	193 17 9	299 17 5¾	239 5 4¼	183 9 7½	185 19 6½	234 3 4	203 2 1	3,486 2 8¼	2,479 19 2¾	316 2 0	356 14 0	3,802 4 8¼	2,836 13 2¾
Total	2,287 16 10½	209 13 10	1,602 14 1	241 16 1	559 7 2½	199 14 2	1,451 14 1	203 10 8	25,017 8 0½	2,704 15 1	364 4 3	534 13 3	25,381 12 3½	3,239 8 4
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	33 3 4	..	57 13 4	..	83 10 0	..	43 13 4	..	1,383 3 6	..	..	..	1,383 3 6	..
Medical attendance	..	132 12 6	..	154 10 4	..	131 1 4	..	123 15 3	..	1,588 11 5	..	112 10 0	..	1,701 1 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	320 0 0	..	320 0 0	..
District and Board dues	25 18 0	24 8 0	33 6 0	30 19 3	21 18 0	19 18 6	26 4 3	24 13 6	316 2 0	297 7 3	..	..	316 2 0	297 7 3
Management	..	32 11 6	..	43 0 6	..	23 12 0	..	51 18 5	..	528 13 9	..	139 18 5	..	668 12 2
Other expenditure	..	7 8 8	..	1 16 8	20 0 0[3]	3 12 4	..	3 3 6	122 11 0	49 10 6	30 4 0[5]	116 13 2	152 15 0	166 3 8
Total Expenditure	59 1 4	197 0 8	90 19 4	230 6 9	125 8 0	178 4 2	69 17 7	203 10 8	1,821 16 6	2,464 2 11	350 4 0	369 1 7	2,172 0 6	2,833 4 6
Balance	2,228 15 6½	12 13 2	1,511 14 9	11 9 4	433 19 2½	21 10 0	1,381 16 6	..	23,195 11 6½	240 12 2	14 0 3	165 11 8	23,209 11 9½	406 3 10
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	1,385 0 0	..	1,375 0 0	..	420 0 0	..	1,303 14 4	..	20,747 14 4	7 10 0	..	67 10 0	20,747 14 4	75 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	843 15 6½	12 13 2	136 14 9	11 9 4	13 19 2½	21 10 0	78 2 2	..	2,447 17 2½	233 2 2	14 0 3	98 1 8	2,461 17 5½	331 3 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.														
Entitled to benefits	114	113	130	140	82	99	112	114	..	..	1	1	1,313	1,364
Not entitled { Unfinancial	6	9	5	9	11	7	4	7	..	..	..	..	77	95
to benefits { New	5	3	9	13	16	13	6	2	..	..	..	..	79	67
Total	125	125	144	162	109	119	122	123	..	..	1[6]	1[6]	1,469	1,526
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	9		28		29		10		..		..		187	
Departures { By death	2, £60[2]		1, £20		1[4]		..		..		..		14, £240	
Departures { Otherwise	7		9		18		9		..		..		116	
Number of members sick	14		9		16		14		..		..		205	
Period of sickness	33 w. 1 d.		83 w. 4 d.		110 w. 3 d.		43 w. 4 d.		..		..		1,746 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		10, £80	

[1] Funeral donation repaid.—[2] Including £20 for 1887.—[3] Funeral donation advanced.—[4] Claim not yet paid by district.—[5] Amount transferred to Incidental Fund to correct error in balances in previous years.—[6] District member.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

TALBOT DISTRICT.

	1 Clunes. Clunes. 1859.		2 Talbot. Talbot. 1861.		3 Alexandra. Majorca. 1864.		4 Avoca. Avoca. 1864.		5 Carisbrook. Carisbrook. 1869.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.			Total of Talbot District.	
Name of branch																	
Where situated																	
Year when established ..																	
	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick Union.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,594 14 8	48 13 10	752 8 9½	6 5 1¼	428 9 5	−8 2 9	254 11 11½	2 11 8½	154 2 10	23 15 7	3,184 7 8	73 3 5¾	161 19 6	23 12 4	109 11 11	3,455 19 1	96 15 9¾
RECEIPTS.																	
Contributions	302 0 3	337 16 9	157 12 4¼	186 5 0	63 2 3	45 13 0	75 5 11	84 15 8	84 5 4	60 13 3	682 6 1¼	715 3 8	..	..	..	682 6 1¼	715 3 8
Special levies	171 15 6	..	97 5 0	1 15 0	..	51 5 0	..	13 5 6	28 5 0	29 9 3	297 5 6	95 14 9	..	..	..	297 5 6	95 14 9
Initiation fees, &c. ..	..	5 10 6	..	1 10 9	..	2 2 0	..	1 16 6	..	3 8 0	..	14 7 9	..	..	..	..	14 7 9
Interest	117 8 0	..	28 8 0	..	15 0 0	..	9 7 6	..	15 4 4	..	185 7 10	..	..	..	..	185 7 10	..
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	59 6 6	125 19 6	764 1 0	823 7 6	125 19 6
Other receipts	487 7 10[1]	19 8 0	183 16 8[4]	6 11 0	41 14 6[4]	0 4 0	20 18 8[4]	6 18 5	95 16 8[4]	9 9 0	829 14 4	42 10 5	..	10 5 0	..	829 14 4	52 15 5
Total Receipts ..	1,078 11 7	362 15 3	467 2 0¼	196 1 9	119 16 9	99 4 0	105 12 1	106 16 1	223 11 4	102 19 6	1,994 13 9¼	867 16 7	59 6 6	136 4 6	764 1 0	2,818 1 3¼	1,004 1 1
Total	2,673 6 3	411 9 1	1,219 10 9¾	202 6 10¼	548 6 2	91 1 3	360 4 0½	109 7 9½	377 14 2	126 15 1	5,179 1 5¼	941 0 0¾	221 6 0	159 16 10	873 12 11	6,274 0 4¼	1,100 16 10¾
EXPENDITURE.																	
Sick pay	334 9 6	..	168 11 2	..	8 6 8	..	15 0 0	..	59 10 0	..	585 17 4	..	..	..	..	585 17 4	..
Medical attendance	..	235 2 9	..	102 1 0	..	56 6 9	..	59 19 7	..	88 2 3	..	541 12 4	..	..	..	..	541 12 4
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	130 0 0	..	..	130 0 0	..
District and Board dues ..	26 9 6	56 19 0	13 0 0	28 9 0	5 0 0	11 3 0	6 2 6	13 12 0	8 14 6	15 16 6	59 6 6	125 19 6	..	..	..	59 6 6	125 19 6
Dues to Sick Union	344 11 0	..	171 12 0	..	68 0 0	..	81 17 0	..	98 1 0	..	764 1 0	..	..	..	..	764 1 0	..
Management	..	65 13 6	..	60 7 2	..	20 11 6	..	27 7 0	..	20 8 4	..	194 7 6	..	96 18 11	..	..	291 6 5
Other expenditure	10 0 0[2]	25 9 3	..	11 2 6	..	1 3 0	..	1 15 11	..	1 14 3	10 0 0	41 4 11	0 12 0	49 8 11	839 2 4[7]	849 14 4	90 13 10
Total Expenditure ..	715 10 0	383 4 6	353 3 2	201 19 8	81 6 8	89 4 3	102 19 6	102 14 6	166 5 6	126 1 4	1,419 4 10	903 4 3	130 12 0	146 7 10	839 2 4	2,388 19 2	1,049 12 1
Balance	1,957 16 3	28 4 7	866 7 7¾	0 7 2¼	466 19 6	1 17 0	257 4 6½	6 13 3½	211 8 8	0 13 9	3,759 16 7¼	37 15 9¾	90 14 0	13 9 0	34 10 7	3,885 1 2¼	51 4 9¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																	
Invested at interest	1,718 0 0	..	625 14 10	..	378 7 2	..	207 10 0	..	163 0 0	..	3,092 12 0	..	..	..	..	3,092 12 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	239 16 3	28 4 7	240 12 9¾	0 7 2¼	88 12 4	1 17 0	49 14 6½	6 13 3½	48 8 8	0 13 9	667 4 7¼	37 15 9¾	90 14 0	13 9 0	34 10 7	792 9 2¼	51 4 9¾
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.		At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	197	184	90	99	38	39	50	47	48	42	..	..	..	..	..	423	411
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	4	10	1	..	..	5	4	3	5	17	..	..	..	..	..	14	35
Not entitled to benefits { New	13	4	15	2	2	..	1	3	13	2	..	..	..	..	..	44	11
Total	214	198	106	101	40	44	55	53	66	61	..	..	..	..	..	481	457
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																	
Admitted	7		3		4		4		4		..		..			22	
Departures .. { By death ..	2, £60[2]		..		£20[5]		..		2[6]		..		..			4, £80	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	21		8		..		6		7		..		..			42	
Number of members sick ..	42		24		2		4		11		..		..			83	
Period of sickness	526 w. 5 d.		219 w. 2 d.		8 w. 2 d.		15 w.		85 w. 3 d.		..		..			855 w.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	3, £20[2]		1, £10		1, £10		1, £10		..		..		..			6, £50	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by Sick Union, and £20 Funeral donation for 1887.—[2] One funeral claim not yet paid by district.—[3] Including £20 for 1887.—[4] Sick pay refunded by Sick Union.—[5] Funeral donation for 1887.—[6] Members not entitled to benefits.—[7] Including Sick pay refunded to lodges of this district, £809 2s. 4d.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

WARRNAMBOOL DISTRICT.

	1 Victoria. Warrnambool. 1860.		2 Woodford. Woodford. 1868.		3 Allansford. Allansford. 1869.		4 Garvoc. Panmure. 1871.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Warrnambool District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	2,548 10 1	19 1 7	431 2 0	13 3 0	427 18 4½	−6 4 8½	150 14 7	6 0 7	3,558 5 0½	32 0 5½	..	6 10 1	3,558 5 0½	38 10 6½
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	232 13 1	226 16 3	114 17 8	111 18 4	63 1 4	62 6 7½	64 19 3	60 13 7	475 11 4	461 14 9½	..	..	475 11 4	461 14 9½
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	5 18 7	..	8 6 0	..	14 4 7	..	..	..	14 4 7
Initiation fees, &c.	..	4 4 0	..	1 1 0	..	0 15 6	..	2 2 0	..	8 2 6	..	..	..	8 2 6
Interest	108 0 0	..	15 16 2	..	5 0 0	..	5 3 2	..	133 19 4	..	..	..	133 19 4	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47 7 11	52 7 0	47 7 11	52 7 0
Other receipts	..	14 17 0	..	0 5 6	..	0 11 0	..	0 7 6	..	16 1 0	..	14 3 2	..	30 4 2
Total Receipts	340 13 1	245 17 3	130 13 10	113 4 10	68 1 4	69 11 8½	70 2 5	71 9 1	609 10 8	500 2 10½	47 7 11	66 10 2	656 18 7	566 13 0½
Total	2,889 3 2	264 18 10	561 15 10	126 7 10	495 19 8½	63 7 0	220 17 0	77 9 8	4,167 15 8½	532 3 4	47 7 11	73 0 3	4,215 3 7½	605 3 7
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	183 12 8	..	55 3 4	..	17 11 4	..	52 15 10	..	309 3 2	..	..	..	309 3 2	..
Medical attendance	..	144 19 0	..	74 7 0	..	38 10 0	..	35 10 0	..	293 6 0	..	..	..	293 6 3
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 0 0	..	40 0 0	..
District and Board dues	18 14 7	25 15 0	9 6 0	12 11 6	5 0 9	6 13 0	14 6 7	7 7 6	47 7 11	52 7 0	..	..	47 7 11	52 7 0
Management	..	48 6 9	..	24 0 7	..	14 15 5	..	15 7 0	..	102 9 9	..	40 17 0	..	143 6 9
Other expenditure	..	10 19 9	..	..	10 0 0[1]	1 9 1	..	1 18 11	10 0 0	14 7 9	6 5 1[3]	23 4 8	16 5 1	37 12 5
Total Expenditure	202 7 3	230 0 6	64 9 4	110 19 1	32 12 1	61 7 6	67 2 5	60 3 5	366 11 1	462 10 6	46 5 1	64 1 8	412 16 2	526 12 2
Balance	2,686 15 11	34 18 4	497 6 6	15 8 9	463 7 7½	1 19 6	153 14 7	17 6 3	3,801 4 7½	69 12 10	1 2 10	8 18 7	3,802 7 5½	78 11 5
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	270 0 0	..	387 17 10	..	393 6 6	..	134 6 6	..	1,185 10 10	..	..	..	1,185 10 10	..
Invested in halls	2,333 19 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,333 19 0	..	..	..	2,333 19 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	82 16 11	34 18 4	109 8 8	15 8 9	70 1 1½	1 19 6	19 8 1	47 6 3	281 14 9½	69 12 10	1 2 10	8 18 7	282 17 7½	78 11 5
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	141	140	74	68	42	33	30	38	..	..	..	..	287	279
Not entitled to benefits (Unfinancial)	12	5	2	6	1	11	9	4	..	..	..	..	24	26
Not entitled to benefits (New)	5	7	2	1	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	12	8
Total	158	152	78	75	47	44	40	42	..	..	..	..	323	313
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	7		2		2		4		..		..		15	
Departures — By death	2, £40		..		..		..		..		..		2, £40	
Departures — Otherwise	11		5		5		2		..		..		23	
Number of members sick	20		9		6		6		..		..		41	
Period of sickness	313 w.		81 w. 1 d.		17 w. 3 d.		85 w. 1 d.		..		..		496 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		1[2]		..		..		..		1	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Funeral donation advanced.—[2] Claim not yet paid by district.—[3] Amount repaid to Incidental Fund.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

WIMMERA DISTRICT.

	1 Ararat. Ararat. 1860.		2 Pleasant Creek. Stawell. 1863.		3 Horsham. Horsham. 1866.		4 Stawell. Stawell. 1874.		5 Dimboola. Dimboola. 1877.		6 Nhill. Nhill. 1883.		7 Kaniva. Kaniva. 1885.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	2,028 14 6	83 8 9	519 9 11	70 16 1	766 11 8	24 13 5	482 6 8	97 19 3	268 17 0	63 7 3	219 11 7	45 7 6	102 3 10	37 16 8
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	87 8 2	99 7 2	248 10 10	248 11 0	98 9 7	118 2 7	98 4 1	102 13 6	83 5 5	93 14 3	124 14 10	163 6 3	87 11 0	66 5 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	2 18 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	2 4 6	..	4 7 3	..	2 10 6	..	6 0 6	..	10 12 6	..	16 14 0	..	6 19 0
Interest	102 4 0	3 15 0	32 10 0	..	63 9 3	..	21 10 0	2 0 0	11 10 0	3 0 0	9 17 6	..	0 19 6	0 10 6
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 3 0	..	3 0 6	33 0 0[2]	25 8 8	..	24 10 1	..	1 10 6	..	3 6 0	..	12 1 6
Total Receipts ..	189 12 2	105 9 8	281 0 10	255 18 9	194 18 10	148 19 9	119 14 1	135 4 1	94 15 5	108 17 3	134 12 4	183 6 3	88 10 6	85 16 4
Total	2,218 6 8	188 18 5	800 10 9	326 14 10	961 10 6	173 13 2	602 0 9	233 3 4	363 12 5	172 4 6	354 3 11	228 13 9	190 14 4	123 13 0
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	42 10 0	..	261 9 1	..	30 13 4	..	4 14 5	..	26 16 8	..	37 11 8	..	20 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	85 3 0	..	156 10 0	..	76 7 6	..	95 7 6	..	52 12 9	..	131 1 6	..	61 16 8
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues ..	14 4 6	13 1 0	32 4 0	28 16 0	13 11 6	12 8 0	17 2 6	15 9 0	12 16 6	11 12 0	23 12 6	21 19 0	13 7 6	12 2 0
Management	..	29 9 0	..	58 19 2	..	30 19 2	..	43 13 7	..	15 1 6	..	35 3 1	..	15 6 8
Other expenditure	..	1 9 1	2 3 4[1]	1 14 2	9 16 0[3]	12 19 6	..	8 19 2	..	1 1 6	..	11 18 8	..	1 16 0
Total Expenditure ..	56 14 6	129 2 1	295 16 5	245 19 4	54 0 10	132 14 2	21 16 11	163 9 3	39 13 2	80 7 9	61 4 2	200 2 3	33 7 6	91 1 4
Balance	2,161 12 2	59 16 4	504 14 4	80 15 6	907 9 8	40 19 0	580 3 10	69 14 1	323 19 3	91 16 9	292 19 9	28 11 6	157 6 10	32 11 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	2,037 0 0	..	450 0 0	..	867 0 0	..	500 0 0	50 0 0	310 0 0	60 0 0	225 0 0	..	115 0 0	32 11 8
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	124 12 2	59 16 4	54 14 4	80 15 6	40 9 8	40 19 0	80 3 10	19 14 1	13 19 3	31 16 9	67 19 9	28 11 6	42 6 10	..
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.														
Entitled to benefits	55	51	122	114	56	38	58	62	42	45	68	90	35	42
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	1	3	..	7	5	17	4	4	6	4	11	..	4	8
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	..	2	..	5	1	2	4	5	10	10	12	12	4	1
Total	56	56	122	126	62	57	66	71	58	59	91	102	43	51
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	4		8		3		10		13		24		11	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		3, £60		£20[4]		1, £20		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	4		1		8		4		12		13		3	
Number of members sick ..	13		28		5		3		4		9		3	
Period of sickness	42 w. 3 d.		340 w. 4 d.		55 w. 4 d.		4 w. 5 d.		26 w. 5 d.		37 w. 2 d.		20 w.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		2, £20		..		1, £10		1, £10		..		..	

[1] Sick pay advanced for other lodges.—[2] Sick pay refunded by other lodges and funeral donation repaid.—[3] Amount refunded to Incidental Fund.—[4] Amount for 1887.

WIMMERA DISTRICT—continued.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	6 Warracknabeal. Warracknabeal. 1887.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Wimmera District.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	4 1 5	6 4 4	4,391 16 7	429 13 3	10 16 0	28 15 4	4,402 12 7	458 8 7
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	37 12 10	37 12 10	865 16 9	929 12 11	..	..	865 16 9	929 12 11
Special levies	..	..	..	2 18 0	..	..	..	2 18 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	19 5 3	..	68 13 6	..	..	..	68 13 6
Interest	..	..	242 0 3	9 5 6	..	..	242 0 3	9 5 6
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	133 17 0	122 9 0	133 17 0	122 9 0
Other receipts	..	11 7 8	33 0 0	81 7 11	..	22 12 11	33 0 0	104 0 10
Total Receipts	37 12 10	68 5 9	1,140 17 0	1,091 17 10	133 17 0	145 1 11	1,274 14 0	1,236 19 9
Total	41 14 3	74 10 1	5,532 13 7	1,521 11 1	144 13 0	173 17 3	5,677 6 7	1,695 8 4
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	..	..	423 15 2	..	..	..	423 15 2	..
Medical attendance	..	21 18 6	..	680 17 5	..	..	..	680 17 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	140 0 0	..	140 0 0	..
District and Board dues	6 18 0	7 2 0	133 17 0	122 9 0	..	..	133 17 0	122 9 0
Management	..	5 13 0	..	234 5 2	..	83 5 2	..	317 10 4
Other expenditure	..	4 9 6	11 19 4	44 7 7	..	57 16 6	11 19 4	102 4 1
Total Expenditure	6 18 0	39 3 0	569 11 6	1,081 19 2	140 0 0	141 1 8	709 11 6	1,223 0 10
Balance	34 16 3	35 7 1	4,963 2 1	439 11 11	4 13 0	32 15 7	4,967 15 1	472 7 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	..	..	4,504 0 0	142 11 8	..	..	4,504 0 0	142 11 8
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	34 16 3	35 7 1	459 2 1	297 0 3	4 13 0	32 15 7	463 15 1	329 15 10
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	1	23	..	..	..	..	437	465
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	..	5	..	..	..	..	31	48
Not entitled to benefits — New	12	11	..	..	..	..	43	48
Total	13	39	..	..	..	..	511	561
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	26		..		..		99	
Departures — By death	..		..		..		4, £100	
Departures — Otherwise	..		..		..		45	
Number of members sick	..		..		..		65	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		527 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2 [1]		..		..		6, £40	

YARRA YARRA DISTRICT.

Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	1 Boroondara. Hawthorn. 1859.		2 Kew. Kew. 1863.		3 Camberwell. Camberwell. 1864.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	4,082 10 3	35 17 11	2,059 2 8	55 0 11	827 7 8	15 4 10
RECEIPTS.						
Contributions	334 14 0	322 2 5	299 10 11	200 15 5	93 6 6	63 11 3
Special levies	..	..	..	39 15 6	..	28 5 6
Initiation fees, &c.	..	8 14 6	..	11 11 3	..	2 17 3
Interest	248 6 11	..	138 15 3	..	30 4 5	..
District and Board dues	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	31 2 11	..	13 7 6	..	1 16 9
Total Receipts	583 0 11	361 19 10	438 6 2	265 9 8	123 10 11	96 10 9
Total	4,665 11 2	397 17 9	2,497 8 10	320 10 7	950 18 7	111 15 7
EXPENDITURE.						
Sick pay	157 4 5	..	50 18 0	..	19 16 4	..
Medical attendance	..	247 19 0	..	196 16 6	..	63 3 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..
District and Board dues	52 12 6	45 0 9	47 13 6	31 8 9	14 4 0	12 2 0
Management	..	55 2 0	..	43 5 1	..	16 19 0
Other expenditure	..	13 19 0	10 0 0 [2]	19 13 0	..	1 6 6
Total Expenditure	209 16 11	362 0 9	108 11 6	291 3 4	34 0 4	93 11 3
Balance	4,455 14 3	35 17 0	2,388 17 4	29 7 3	916 18 3	18 4 4
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.						
Invested at interest	3,215 0 0	..	2,387 11 2	..	769 8 7	..
Invested in halls	1,000 0 0	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	240 14 3	35 17 0	1 6 2	29 7 3	147 9 8	18 4 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	198	209	182	189	54	57
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	9	11	12	12	4	3
Not entitled to benefits — New	7	4	9	4	1	2
Total	214	224	203	205	59	62
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.						
Admitted	24		20		7	
Departures — By death	..		3, £60		..	
Departures — Otherwise	14		15		4	
Number of members sick	20		15		8	
Period of sickness	212 w. 1 d.		53 w.		19 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		1 [3]		2, £20	

[1] One claim not yet paid and the other paid by Dimboola lodge.—[2] Funeral donation advanced.—[3] Claim not yet paid by district.

YARRA YARRA DISTRICT—continued.

	4 Nunawading. Mitcham. 1876.		5 Balwyn. Balwyn. 1883.		6 Box Hill. Box Hill. 1884.		7 Lilydale. Lilydale. 1885.		Total of Lodge Funds.		District Funds.		Total of Yarra Yarra District.[3]	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	309 0 6	4 0 7	151 4 0	15 8 8	111 12 11	−11 7 10	110 0 5	3 12 9	7,650 18 5	117 17 10	..	..	7,650 18 5	117 17 10
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	119 1 3	105 10 11	60 19 10	42 12 4	60 1 5	38 5 5	166 1 6	119 11 8	1,133 15 5	892 9 5	..	..	1,133 15 5	892 9 5
Special levies	..	8 7 6	..	8 6 6	..	10 5 0	..	25 0 9	..	120 0 9	..	..	..	120 0 9
Initiation fees, &c.	..	0 2 6	..	3 13 6	..	13 17 0	..	33 1 0	..	73 17 0	..	..	..	73 17 0
Interest	21 15 7	..	5 6 3	..	2 10 0	..	2 10 0	..	449 8 5	..	..	..	449 8 5	..
District and Board dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	53 17 0	84 18 3	53 17 0	84 18 3
Other receipts	..	4 17 7	..	0 12 0	..	3 13 10	..	21 13 6	..	77 4 1	110 0 0[1]	6 7 3	110 0 0	83 11 4
Total Receipts ..	140 16 10	118 18 6	66 6 1	55 4 4	62 11 5	66 1 3	168 11 6	199 6 11	1,583 3 10	1,163 11 3	163 17 0	91 5 6	1,747 0 10	1,254 16 9
Total	449 17 4	122 19 1	217 10 1	70 13 0	174 4 4	54 13 5	278 11 11	202 19 8	9,234 2 3	1,281 9 1	163 17 0	91 5 6	9,397 19 3	1,372 14 7
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	55 7 6	..	36 6 8	..	21 6 0	..	53 10 0	..	394 8 11	..	..	..	394 8 11	..
Medical attendance	..	79 6 0	..	36 11 0	..	17 10 0	..	116 3 0	..	757 9 3	..	8 19 6	..	766 8 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	160 0 0[2]	..	160 0 0	..
District and Board dues ..	16 10 6	9 1 3	9 4 6	8 14 9	9 15 6	5 11 6	20 16 6	14 14 9	170 17 0	126 13 9	..	..	170 17 0[4]	126 13 9[4]
Management	..	24 13 6	..	10 6 7	..	3 9 0	..	38 18 10	..	192 14 0	..	34 9 9	..	227 3 9
Other expenditure	..	3 7 6	..	..	..	4 14 9	..	32 15 6	10 0 0	75 16 3	..	40 0 9	10 0 0	115 17 0
Total Expenditure..	71 18 0	116 8 3	45 11 2	55 12 4	31 1 6	31 5 3	74 6 6	202 12 1	575 5 11	1,152 13 3	160 0 0	83 10 0	735 5 11	1,236 3 3
Balance	377 19 4	6 10 10	171 18 11	15 0 8	143 2 10	23 8 2	204 5 5	0 7 7	8,658 16 4	128 15 10	3 17 0	7 15 6	8,662 13 4	136 11 4
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	295 0 0	..	133 2 1	..	50 0 0	..	152 10 0	..	7,002 11 10	..	..	..	7,002 11 10	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,000 0 0	..	..	..	1,000 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	82 19 4	6 10 10	38 16 10	15 0 8	93 2 10	23 8 2	51 15 5	0 7 7	656 4 6	128 15 10	3 17 0	7 15 6	660 1 6	136 11 4
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	46	63	36	33	24	51	71	74	..	..	..	..	611	676
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	17	12	3	2	11	..	24	42	..	..	..	..	80	82
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	5	3	..	6	5	10	6	24	..	..	..	..	33	53
Total	68	78	39	41	40	61	101	140	..	..	..	..	724	811
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	15		7		28		59		..		..		160	
Departures .. { By death ..	1, £20		..		1, £20		2, £40		..		..		7, £140	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	4		5		6		18		..		..		66	
Number of members sick ..	17		6		4		17		..		..		87	
Period of sickness	57 w. 2 d.		36 w. 2 d.		21 w. 2 d.		53 w. 3 d.		..		..		453 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		3, £20	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Amount of funeral claims paid by the Port Phillip District during the year.—[2] £110 paid by Port Phillip District, and £50 paid by Yarra Yarra District.—[3] This district consists of lodges which belonged to the Port Phillip District, and was constituted on 22nd May, 1888.—[4] These amounts include dues paid to Port Phillip District.

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

SUMMARY.

Name of district	Ballarat.		Bendigo.		Castlemaine.		Collingwood.		Corio.		Hamilton.		Ovens and Murray.		Port Fairy.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	34,361 17 8½	1,572 10 0½	15,938 0 3	2,107 15 8½	24,320 6 1	893 18 11	24,608 8 1½	524 16 4½	10,738 14 10½	439 7 6½	5,555 12 7½	100 13 11	9,441 8 0½	275 11 9½	7,271 4 11½	2 16 11½
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	2,338 13 3	2,398 1 10	3,664 14 10	3,627 14 9½	2,807 10 8¼	2,375 4 1¼	1,959 18 4¾	1,684 9 8¾	637 16 6	583 0 3	517 1 2½	404 19 4	1,341 9 6½	1,410 11 8½	404 16 11	368 1 1
Special levies	..	11 4 0	..	6 9 8	..	515 2 6	..	237 18 3	..	9 16 6	..	83 16 4	..	253 5 4	..	65 10 0
Initiation fees, &c.	..	62 9 0	..	197 1 3	..	105 13 6	..	68 4 9	..	5 7 0	..	43 13 0	..	100 15 0	..	19 2 0
Interest	1,875 12 10	25 17 3	735 11 6	62 0 10	1,239 3 9	8 2 6	2,052 1 7	13 15 11	525 12 4	28 17 0	264 2 9	5 5 0	392 15 11	35 1 6	361 5 10	..
District and Board dues	402 4 5	306 10 9	1,431 7 9	343 13 3	552 5 6	374 13 1	132 12 6	238 9 0	217 1 0	75 0 3	76 11 0	69 2 0	132 19 3	229 5 6	56 12 0	70 9 0
Other receipts	8 3 4	126 6 5	765 16 8	524 5 9	46 19 4	242 18 3	20 0 0	266 10 7	45 3 4	29 15 0	30 9 1	60 6 1	22 0 0	227 14 0	..	120 13 11
Total Receipts	4,624 13 10	2,930 9 3	6,597 10 9	4,761 5 6½	4,645 19 3¼	3,621 13 11¼	4,164 12 5¾	2,509 8 2¾	1,425 13 2	731 16 0	888 4 0½	667 1 9	1,889 4 8½	2,256 13 0½	822 14 9	643 16 0
Total	38,986 11 6½	4,502 19 3½	22,535 11 0	6,869 1 3	28,966 5 4¼	4,515 12 10¼	28,773 0 7¼	3,034 4 7¼	12,164 8 0½	1,171 3 6½	6,443 16 8	767 15 8	11,330 12 9	2,532 4 10	8,093 19 8½	646 12 11½
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	2,443 2 6	..	3,482 8 0	..	2,570 15 10	..	1,470 1 11	..	661 2 7	..	299 9 4	..	873 11 2	..	478 10 8	..
Medical attendance	..	1,570 12 5	..	2,289 3 5	..	1,994 5 4	..	1,256 17 2½	..	454 4 6	..	337 16 2	..	1,213 17 10	..	238 11 6
Funeral donations	423 0 0	..	660 0 0	..	450 0 0	..	270 0 0	..	160 0 0	..	80 0 0	..	140 0 0	..	70 0 0	..
District and Board dues	402 4 5	306 10 9	916 14 0	343 13 3	552 5 6	374 13 1	132 12 6	238 9 0	217 1 0	75 0 3	76 11 0	69 2 0	132 19 3	229 5 6	56 12 0	70 9 0
Dues to Sick Union	..	..	514 13 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Management	..	858 18 1	..	953 9 10	..	1,101 8 0	..	700 1 8	..	227 10 1	..	160 15 0	..	466 1 4	..	191 14 5
Other expenditure	22 4 0	246 13 1	907 12 10	963 8 3	102 6 8	310 2 11	128 12 1	236 1 11	10 0 0	81 5 1	20 0 0	68 11 6	78 2 7	227 7 2	30 0 0	99 18 2
Total Expenditure	3,290 10 11	2,982 14 4	6,481 8 7	4,549 14 9	3,675 8 0	3,780 9 4	2,001 6 6	2,431 9 9½	1,048 3 7	837 19 11	476 0 4	636 4 8	1,224 13 0	2,136 11 10	635 2 8	600 13 1
Balance	35,696 0 7½	1,520 4 11½	16,054 2 5	2,319 6 6	25,290 17 4¼	735 3 6¼	26,771 14 1¼	602 14 9¾	11,116 4 5½	333 3 7½	5,967 16 4	131 11 0	10,105 19 9	395 13 0	7,458 17 0½	45 19 10½
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	32,550 4 2	575 13 4	12,639 15 8½	686 9 6½	22,809 5 11½	404 16 2½	23,041 0 5½	138 17 3½	8,890 18 6½	180 9 3½	4,741 1 4	50 0 0	6,922 18 1	46 2 6	6,226 14 4	..
Invested in halls	948 3 11	500 0 0	2,129 12 10	875 6 10	781 5 0	..	1,111 0 0	..	1,553 6 3	68 13 10	394 15 2	..	1,550 11 9	145 0 0	400 0 0	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	202 14 10	200 0 0	560 6 2	..	..	..	20 0 0	..	255 0 0	..	380 0 0	..	671 13 4	..
Cash not bearing interest	2,197 12 6½	444 11 7½	1,067 8 5	557 10 1½	1,140 0 2¾	330 7 3¾	2,619 13 7¾	463 17 6¼	651 19 8	84 0 6	576 19 10	81 11 0	1,188 14 6½	204 10 6	152 3 5½	45 19 10½
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	14 10 7½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63 15 4½	..	8 5 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	1,435	1,470	2,145	2,235	1,661	1,715	1,230	1,244	392	384	260	267	722	742	229	247
Not entitled { Unfinancial	100	90	61	92	112	64	78	80	20	15	40	45	134	116	33	33
to benefits { New	56	50	102	133	79	84	49	53	6	5	24	53	63	90	18	21
Total	1,591	1,610	2,308	2,460	1,852	1,863	1,357	1,377	418	404	324	365	919	948	280	301
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	133		296		180		132		13		64		184		35	
Departures { By death	19, £343		28, £560		23, £360		12, £220		8, £160		4, £60		6, £100		3, £40	
Departures { Otherwise	95		116		146		100		19		19		149		11	
Number of members sick	354		445		365		217		70		51		159		55	
Period of sickness	3,213 w. 2 d.		4,527 w. 5 d.		3,683 w. 2 d.		2,019 w. 5 d.		823 w.		354 w. 5 d.		1,028 w. 2 d.		672 w. 4 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	9, £80		12, £100		9, £90		5, £50		1		£20		5, £40		3, £30	

MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

SUMMARY—continued.

Name of district	Port Phillip.		South Melbourne.		Talbot.		Warrnambool.		Wimmera.		Yarra Yarra.		Total of whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 82,409 2 3¼	£ s. d. 1,987 11 10¾	£ s. d. 21,579 7 7¼	£ s. d. 402 15 1¼	£ s. d. 3,455 19 1	£ s. d. 96 15 9¾	£ s. d. 3,558 5 0½	£ s. d. 38 10 6½	£ s. d. 4,402 12 7	£ s. d. 458 8 7	£ s. d. 7,650 18 5	£ s. d. 117 17 10	£ s. d. 255,291 17 8	£ s. d. 9,019 10 11¾
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	9,454 18 11	8,504 13 4½	2,215 16 6¼	2,008 1 7¾	682 6 1¼	715 3 8	475 11 4	461 14 9½	865 16 9	929 12 11	1,133 15 5	892 9 5	28,500 6 4½	26,363 18 7¾
Special levies	..	519 12 7	..	231 18 0	297 5 6	95 14 9	..	14 4 7	..	2 18 0	..	120 0 9	297 5 6	2,167 11 3
Initiation fees, &c.	..	527 3 0	..	103 12 3	..	14 7 9	..	8 2 6	..	68 13 6	..	73 17 0	..	1,398 1 6
Interest	4,437 4 10	119 11 5	1,249 15 10	6 1 6	185 7 10	..	133 19 4	..	242 0 3	9 5 6	449 8 5	..	14,144 3 0	313 18 5
District and Board dues	1,993 7 6	948 14 2	316 2 0	297 7 3	823 7 6	125 19 6	47 7 11	52 7 c	133 17 0	122 9 0	53 17 0	84 18 3	6,369 12 4	3,338 18 0
Other receipts	428 2 0	734 3 8	20 10 4	189 12 7	829 14 4	52 15 5	..	30 4 2	33 0 0	104 0 10	110 0 0	83 11 4	2,359 18 5	2,792 18 0
Total Receipts	16,313 13 3	11,353 18 2½	3,802 4 8¼	2,836 13 2¾	2,818 1 3¼	1,004 1 1	656 18 7	566 13 0½	1,274 14 0	1,236 19 9	1,747 0 10	1,254 16 9	51,671 5 7½	36,375 5 9¾
Total	98,722 15 6¼	13,341 10 0¾	25,381 12 3½	3,239 8 4	6,274 0 4¼	1,100 16 10¾	4,215 3 7½	605 3 7	5,677 6 7	1,695 8 4	9,397 19 3	1,372 14 7	306,963 3 3½	45,394 16 9½
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	5,975 9 4	..	1,383 3 6	..	585 17 4	..	309 3 2	..	423 15 2	..	394 8 11	..	21,350 19 5	..
Medical attendance	..	7,339 1 2	..	1,701 1 5	..	541 12 4	..	293 6 0	..	680 17 5	..	766 8 9	..	20,677 15 5½
Funeral donations	1,620 0 0	..	320 0 0	..	130 0 0	..	40 0 0	..	140 0 0	..	160 0 0	..	4,663 0 0	..
District and Board dues	1,876 7 6	906 18 8	316 2 0	297 7 3	59 6 6	125 19 6	47 7 11	52 7 0	133 17 0	122 9 0	170 17 0	126 13 9	5,090 17 7	3,338 18 0
Dues to Sick Union	..	..	..	..	764 1 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,278 14 9	..
Management	..	2,165 12 6½	..	668 12 2	..	291 6 5	..	143 6 9	..	317 10 4	..	227 3 9	..	8,473 10 4½
Other expenditure	601 10 6	654 0 4½	152 15 0	166 3 8	849 14 4	90 13 10	16 5 1	37 12 5	11 19 4	102 4 1	10 0 0	115 17 0	2,941 2 5	3,399 19 5½
Total Expenditure	10,073 7 4	11,065 12 9	2,172 0 6	2,833 4 6	2,388 19 2	1,049 12 1	412 16 2	526 12 2	709 11 6	1,223 0 10	735 5 11	1,236 3 3	35,324 14 2	35,890 3 3½
Balance	88,649 8 2¼	2,275 17 3¾	23,209 11 9½	406 3 10	3,885 1 2¼	51 4 9¾	3,802 7 5½	78 11 5	4,967 15 1	472 7 6	8,662 13 4	136 11 4	271,638 9 1½	9,504 13 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	73,378 10 11¾	775 3 0¼	20,747 14 4	75 0 0	3,092 12 0	..	1,185 10 10	..	4,504 0 0	142 11 8	7,002 11 10	..	227,732 18 6¾	3,075 2 10¼
Invested in halls	9,138 2 8	380 0 0	..	..	..	..	2,333 19 0	..	..	..	1,000 0 0	..	21,340 16 7	1,969 0 8
Invested, other freehold property	..	108 3 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,089 14 4	308 3 0
Cash not bearing interest	6,035 10 2	1,012 11 3½	2,461 17 5½	331 3 10	792 9 2¼	51 4 9¾	282 17 7½	78 11 5	463 15 1	329 15 10	660 1 6	136 11 4	20,291 3 4¼	4,152 6 11¾
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	97 4 4½	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	183 16 3½	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	5,255	5,693	1,313	1,364	423	411	287	279	437	465	611	676	16,400	17,192
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	440	418	77	95	14	35	24	26	31	48	80	82	1,244	1,239
Not entitled to benefits { New	338	373	79	67	44	11	12	8	43	48	33	53	946	1,049
Total	6,033	6,484	1,469	1,526	481	457	323	313	511	561	724	811	18,590	19,480
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	1,018		187		22		15		99		160		2,538 [1]	
Departures { By death	63, £1,200		14, £240		4, £80		2, £40		4, £100		7, £140		197, £3,643	
Departures { Otherwise	504		116		42		23		45		66		1,451 [2]	
Number of members sick	851		205		83		41		65		87		3,048	
Period of sickness	7,861 w.		1,746 w. 5 d.		855 w.		496 w. 5 d.		527 w. 5 d.		453 w. 3d.		28,264 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	48, £420		10, £80		6, £50		1		6, £40		3, £20		118, £1,020	

[1] Three hundred and sixty of these were admitted by clearance.—[2] Two hundred and seventy-nine of these left by clearance.

AUSTRALIAN NATIVES' ASSOCIATION.

	1 Melbourne. Melbourne. 1871.		4 Ballarat. Ballarat. 1874.		5 Sandhurst. Sandhurst. 1874.		10 Stawell. Stawell. 1880.		11 Creswick. Creswick. 1880.		12 Clunes. Clunes. 1881.		15 Maryborough. Maryborough. 1882.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 304 16 10	£ s. d. −96 11 4	£ s. d. 1,756 10 8	£ s. d. 507 11 1	£ s. d. 976 13 4	£ s. d. 258 11 4	£ s. d. 273 17 1	£ s. d. −36 15 3	£ s. d. 395 7 5	£ s. d. 202 3 0	£ s. d. 222 14 6	£ s. d. 111 11 3	£ s. d. 137 17 3	£ s. d. 25 7 5
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	79 8 1	130 18 5	759 12 3	866 16 6	750 8 6	748 12 8	161 17 3	157 9 6	217 17 7	232 1 10	148 5 11	138 16 1	97 7 11	101 10 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31 18 2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 5 0	4 12 6	33 11 0	21 14 0	20 17 6	42 4 0	3 6 3	6 6 3	2 1 3	4 3 9	6 7 0	6 15 6	2 17 6	12 15 0
Interest	14 0 0	..	127 17 4	38 18 2	45 16 7	14 4 0	8 15 0	..	17 15 0	9 5 0	8 13 0	2 11 0	6 6 0	1 3 0
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 16 0	0 4 0 [1]	5 7 11	..	15 9 6	..	15 1 4	..	..	..	9 1 0	1 3 4 [1]	0 8 0
Total Receipts	93 13 1	137 6 11	921 4 7	932 16 7	817 2 7	820 10 2	173 18 6	210 15 3	237 13 10	245 10 7	163 5 11	157 3 7	107 14 9	115 16 5
Total	398 9 11	40 15 7	2,677 15 3	1,440 7 8	1,793 15 11	1,079 1 6	447 15 7	174 0 0	633 1 3	447 13 7	386 0 5	268 14 10	245 12 0	141 3 10
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	3 19 11	..	211 13 4	..	172 5 0	..	97 17 8	..	121 1 8	..	39 16 8	..	22 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	65 5 0	..	495 5 7	..	404 2 0	..	141 16 11	..	141 1 3	..	105 4 2	..	65 12 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	20 16 9	8 17 2	200 14 4	65 19 11	178 4 5	82 19 7	41 7 4	13 18 1	52 13 2	17 0 0	38 19 10	13 7 8	23 15 10	12 2 6
Management	..	69 0 3	..	219 2 6	..	192 19 9	..	43 6 1	..	69 0 10	..	24 1 9	..	24 8 11
Other expenditure	..	1 0 0	..	3 6 6	..	19 2 0	..	..	..	1 5 6	..	0 9 0	..	2 5 11
Total Expenditure	24 16 8	144 2 5	412 7 8	783 14 6	350 9 5	699 3 4	139 5 0	199 1 1	173 14 10	228 7 7	78 16 6	143 2 7	46 5 10	104 9 10
Balance	373 13 3	−103 6 10	2,265 7 7	656 13 2	1,443 6 6	379 18 2	308 10 7	−25 1 1	459 6 5	219 6 0	307 3 11	125 12 3	199 6 2	36 14 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	220 0 0	..	1,933 1 11	656 13 2	1,411 12 6	300 0 0	225 0 0	..	457 10 0	217 10 0	238 15 0	81 5 0	195 0 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	50 6 5	−103 6 10	332 5 8	..	31 14 0	79 18 2	58 9 6	−25 1 1	1 16 5	1 16 0	68 8 11	44 7 3	4 16 2	36 14 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	103 6 10	..	..	..	..	..	25 1 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	372 12 0 [2]	..	119 18 9 [2]	..	..	..	9 6 3 [4]	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	46	43	388	434	305	411	81	82	129	132	68	81	39	43
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	11	11	46	77	73	61	31	23	19	23	6	16	..	10
Not entitled to benefits { New	9	11	135	138	200	170	32	17	35	18	33	25	23	34
Total	66	65	569	649	578	642	144	122	183	173	107	122	62	87
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted		16		150		175		20		20		26		40
Departures { By death		..		2, £20 [2]		3, £40 [2]		1, £20		1 [3]		..		..
Departures { Otherwise		17		68		108		41		29		11		15
Number of members sick		3		55		39		24		29		13		8
Period of sickness		4 w.		211 w. 4 d.		181 w. 4 d.		103 w. 1 d.		121 w. 4 d.		39 w. 5 d.		22 w. 3 d.
Deaths of registered wives		..		4, £40		..		..		..		1, £10		..

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Sick pay refunded by other branches.—[2] Building and Emergency Funds.—[3] One member not entitled to benefits.—[4] Emergency Fund.

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Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	18 Buninyong. Buninyong. 1882.		19 Kerang.[2] Kerang. 1882.		20 Maldon. Maldon. 1882.		21 Ararat. Ararat. 1882.		22 Murtoa. Murtoa. 1883.		23 Kingston. Kingston. 1883.		24 Horsham. Horsham. 1883.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 132 8 3	£ s. d. 106 7 10	£ s. d. 192 8 5	£ s. d. 1 11 7	£ s. d. 83 18 8	£ s. d. 10 15 11	£ s. d. 295 19 6	£ s. d. 26 4 6	£ s. d. 84 9 1	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 150 18 5	£ s. d. 49 18 4	£ s. d. 121 17 10	£ s. d. 20 10 1
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	88 10 5	98 5 10	71 11 6	75 0 0	50 4 5	57 18 1	125 6 3	123 13 4	37 2 0	37 3 2	63 15 11	63 10 1	53 16 6	62 7 5
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 15 0	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 1 9	6 15 9	2 10 0	11 13 0	0 12 6	1 6 3	1 2 6	2 7 6	0 16 9	2 0 9	1 3 9	1 16 3	2 17 0	9 8 6
Interest	9 14 10	2 18 0	6 12 0	..	3 18 0	..	25 12 6	0 12 0	2 10 0	..	4 9 0	1 0 0	5 6 0	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 2 3	..	3 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 7 0	..	1 7 6
Total Receipts	102 7 0	109 1 10	80 13 6	89 18 0	54 14 11	59 4 4	152 1 3	126 12 10	40 8 9	39 3 11	69 8 8	85 8 4	61 19 6	73 3 5
Total	234 15 3	215 9 8	273 1 11	91 9 7	138 13 7	70 0 3	448 0 9	152 17 4	124 17 10	39 3 11	220 7 1	135 6 8	183 17 4	93 13 6
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	110 7 6	..	20 6 8	..	32 16 8	..	36 0 0	..	12 0 0	..	73 13 4	..	6 2 10	..
Medical attendance	..	111 4 8	..	70 0 0	..	33 14 0	..	77 9 2	..	27 3 9	..	46 17 9	..	40 10 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	19 6 9	13 3 8	28 10 7	8 11 0	13 3 10	5 18 0	27 15 6	12 8 3	8 3 11	4 14 9	15 15 9	5 4 10	14 12 1	4 9 0
Management	..	36 7 0	..	6 0 9	..	14 16 6	..	51 15 1	..	7 5 5	..	27 18 0	..	41 0 0
Other expenditure	..	..	..	4 10 6	..	..	..	..	..	8 4 4	..	1 12 0	..	..
Total Expenditure	129 14 3	160 15 4	48 17 3	89 2 3	46 0 6	54 8 6	63 15 6	141 12 6	20 3 11	47 8 3	89 9 1	81 12 7	20 14 11	85 19 0
Balance	105 1 0	54 14 4	224 4 8	2 7 4	92 13 1	15 11 9	384 5 3	11 4 10	104 13 11	−8 4 4	130 18 0	53 14 1	163 2 5	7 14 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	77 15 0	54 14 4	200 0 0	..	78 18 0	5 0 0	384 5 3	..	50 0 0	..	115 0 0	53 14 1	141 5 0	5 0 0
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	27 6 0	..	24 4 8	2 7 4	13 15 1	10 11 9	..	11 4 10	46 9 7	−8 4 4	15 18 0	..	21 17 5	2 14 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 4 4	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds posssesed by branch	..	8 8 11[1]	..	..	..	0 18 0[1]	..	..	..	..	..	3 0 0[1]	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	42	47	34	55	25	29	68	61	14	20	31	37	25	29
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	12	4	16	16	7	8	35	18	7	3	12	8	9	9
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	34	19	19	13	7	13	10	2	8	8	9	14	9
Total	61	85	69	90	45	44	116	89	23	31	51	54	48	47
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	34		23		7		11		10		10		12	
Departures { By death	1, £20		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	9		2		8		38		2		7		13	
Number of members sick	11		6		6		16		2		18		3	
Period of sickness	167 w. 1 d.		20 w. 1 d.		32 w. 5 d.		36 w.		12 w.		73 w. 4 d.		6 w. 1 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] No complete returns were furnished for this branch.

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Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	25 Haddon. Haddon. 1883.		26 Donald.[2] Donald. 1883.		27 St. Arnaud. St. Arnaud. 1883.		28 Sandridge. Port Melbourne. 1883.		29 Prahran. Prahran. 1884.		31 Smeaton. Smeaton. 1885.		32 Hamilton. Hamilton. 1885.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 86 1 0	£ s. d. 1 10 11	£ s. d. 45 1 5	£ s. d. −27 16 7	£ s. d. 128 19 8	£ s. d. −31 13 3	£ s. d. 176 16 6	£ s. d. −37 10 1	£ s. d. 226 12 6	£ s. d. 42 10 0	£ s. d. 67 9 8	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 33 12 1	£ s. d. 3 3 5
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	31 5 6	35 3 2	..	..	117 7 8	113 8 4	62 19 5	69 6 9	225 9 8	277 10 8	31 16 8	35 12 0	22 5 1	42 0 8
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	1 0 0	0 17 6	..	..	5 3 9	12 13 9	3 10 3	8 4 9	17 18 6	14 9 0	2 14 6	3 15 6	1 6 6	3 4 0
Interest	2 10 0	0 3 0	..	..	2 16 0	..	..	..	11 9 11	1 5 6	..	..	0 17 4	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	1 0 3	..	27 16 7	..	4 1 6	..	3 4 0	43 10 5[4]	19 8 5	21 3 2[6]	2 0 0	..	0 12 0
Total Receipts	34 15 6	37 3 11	..	27 16 7	125 7 5	130 3 7	66 9 8	80 15 6	298 8 6	312 13 7	55 14 4	41 7 6	24 8 11	45 16 8
Total	120 16 6	38 14 10	45 1 5	..	254 7 1	98 10 4	243 6 2	43 5 5	525 1 0	355 3 7	123 4 0	41 7 6	58 1 0	49 0 1
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	60 13 4	..	..	..	54 10 0	..	6 0 0	..	17 1 8	..	1 0 0	..	10 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	14 0 2	..	..	..	77 19 9	..	44 5 10	..	208 19 5	..	26 4 0	..	18 5 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	8 8 7	3 0 9	..	..	27 16 9	11 2 2	16 2 1	8 17 6	63 2 8	20 15 9	2 18 10	..	6 7 6	4 6 6
Management	..	15 19 9	..	..	..	40 2 8	..	23 6 6	..	81 18 0	..	14 19 6	..	15 14 0
Other expenditure	..	0 12 6	45 1 5[2]	..	2 10 0[3]	0 17 5	..	..	..	43 10 5	..	7 5 2	..	1 12 6
Total Expenditure	69 1 11	33 13 2	45 1 5	..	84 16 9	130 2 0	22 2 1	76 9 10	80 4 4	355 3 7	3 18 10	48 8 8	16 7 6	39 18 0
Balance	51 14 7	5 1 8	..	..	169 10 4	−31 11 8	221 4 1	−33 4 5	444 16 8	..	119 5 2	−7 1 2	41 13 6	9 2 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	125 0 0	..	110 5 9	..	444 16 8	..	50 0 0	..	40 17 4	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	51 14 7	5 1 8	..	..	12 18 8	−31 11 8	77 13 11	−33 4 5	..	..	62 4 0	−7 1 2	0 16 2	9 2 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	31 11 8	..	33 4 5	..	..	..	7 1 2	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	3 12 6[1]	..	..	..	164 8 8[1]	..	0 0 7[1]	..	70 13 1[5]	..	..	..	0 8 6[1]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	11	18	3	..	33	41	24	30	70	113	14	15	13	10
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	7	1	16	..	10	14	20	4	26	32	..	..	..	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	10	5	9	..	46	36	11	31	64	77	2	1	3	17
Total	28	24	28	..	89	91	55	65	160	222	16	16	16	30
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	5		..		37		33		94		1		18	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	9		28		35		23		32		1		4	
Number of members sick	7		..		8		2		3		1		1	
Period of sickness	60 w. 4 d.		..		54 w. 3 d.		6 w.		20 w. 5 d.		1 w.		10 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		2, £20		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] This branch was closed, and the balance transferred to Board of Directors.—[3] Error in balance-sheet last year.—[4] Refund of loan by Incidental Fund.—[5] Emergency and Building Funds.—[6] Error in balance.

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	33 Dunolly. Dunolly. 1885.		35 City of Richmond. Richmond. 1885.		36 Charlton. Charlton. 1885.		37 Neangar. Eaglehawk. 1885.		38 Avoca. Avoca. 1885.		39 South Melbourne. South Melbourne. 1885.		40 Allendale. Allendale. 1885.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	47 15 5	11 4 2	104 5 10	17 0 6	79 0 4	22 14 10	267 3 8	51 17 7	52 11 1	..	103 0 7	35 9 6	78 0 7	−11 1 2
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	45 5 2	44 10 11	149 18 3	154 0 7	72 12 2	73 1 9	234 1 6	207 1 7	96 8 10	84 5 1	186 19 5	207 1 11	53 19 9	57 18 8
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32 1 0	..	..	..	..	..	3 13 0
Initiation fees, &c.	3 3 3	3 4 9	17 12 3	13 2 0	3 13 6	2 11 6	4 12 6	13 2 6	5 11 9	7 18 3	21 12 3	29 18 3	2 10 6	6 2 0
Interest	1 6 0	..	3 13 0	..	2 16 9	..	12 16 1	1 5 0	1 5 0	..	..	..	2 0 0	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 14 0	..	7 16 9	..	1 0 4	..	5 11 6	..	9 5 0	..	20 16 9	..	1 3 8
Total Receipts ..	49 14 5	48 9 8	171 3 6	174 19 4	79 2 5	76 13 7	251 10 1	259 1 7	103 5 7	101 8 4	208 11 8	257 16 11	58 10 3	68 17 4
Total	97 9 10	59 13 10	275 9 4	191 19 10	158 2 9	99 8 5	518 13 9	310 19 2	155 16 8	101 8 4	311 12 3	293 6 5	136 10 10	57 16 2
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	20 3 4	..	3 10 0	..	58 13 4	..	60 4 10	..	67 3 4	..	33 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	31 18 6	..	96 10 4	..	47 5 0	..	165 0 0	..	75 5 3	..	166 6 7	..	27 14 10
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	12 19 8	4 3 6	44 13 0	11 8 6	20 9 1	7 7 6	55 8 11	23 9 3	29 8 4	6 16 6	64 2 8	14 9 6	13 13 6	6 15 9
Management	..	9 19 3	..	34 14 10	..	21 13 9	..	53 8 0	..	15 14 5	..	80 6 6	..	19 1 9
Other expenditure	..	..	..	..	..	0 13 0	..	1 4 8	..	2 8 0	..	1 16 6	..	1 2 2
Total Expenditure ..	12 19 8	46 1 3	64 16 4	142 13 8	23 19 1	76 19 3	114 2 3	243 1 11	89 13 2	100 4 2	131 6 0	262 19 1	46 13 6	54 14 6
Balance	84 10 2	13 12 7	210 13 0	49 6 2	134 3 8	22 9 2	404 11 6	67 17 3	66 3 6	1 4 2	180 6 3	30 7 4	89 17 4	3 1 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	65 0 0	..	150 0 0	..	120 18 0	20 0 0	400 2 0	67 17 3	40 0 0	..	..	..	63 19 6	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	19 10 2	13 12 7	60 13 0	49 6 2	13 5 8	2 9 2	4 9 6	..	26 3 6	1 4 2	180 6 3	30 7 4	25 17 10	3 1 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	5 3 4[1]	..	5 8 0[1]	..	54 5 2[1]	..	16 9 0[1]	..	..	..	..	..	12 5 6[1]
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.														
Entitled to benefits	12	16	28	41	20	40	114	139	28	36	52	67	25	29
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	9	10	15	31	4	6	13	9	1	10	5	22	5	3
Not entitled to benefits { New	12	12	35	71	35	13	43	39	25	39	50	118	10	18
Total	33	38	78	143	59	59	170	187	54	85	107	207	40	50
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	12		83		14		40		39		126		21	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		1, £20		..		2, £40		..		1, £20		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	7		17		14		21		8		25		11	
Number of members sick ..	..		6		1		20		14		11		5	
Period of sickness	..		21 w. 3 d.		3 w. 3 d.		58 w. 4 d.		60 w. 2 d.		73 w. 1 d.		33 w	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		2, £20		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.

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	41 Mount Prospect. Mount Prospect. 1885.		43 Brunswick. Brunswick. 1885.		44 Timor. Timor. 1885.		45 Mount Wycheproof.[2] Mount Wycheproof. 1885.		46 Boort. Boort. 1885.		48 Euroa. Euroa. 1885.		49 Carlton. Carlton. 1886.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	81 8 4	28 11 7	34 7 11	0 5 11	83 9 4	0 5 11	58 8 0	5 6 3	42 17 0	17 13 3	41 4 7	−1 11 10	124 7 3	−9 16 1
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	45 3 2	36 5 6	50 17 4	51 14 2	76 11 9	67 6 6	43 2 9	45 0 0	32 19 11	40 3 7	26 5 0	29 10 1	204 14 3	213 15 4
Special levies	..	..	..	6 3 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 8 9	0 18 9	2 17 3	2 15 3	2 0 0	2 2 6	2 0 0	5 0 0	3 9 0	2 18 6	0 4 6	0 3 0	8 6 3	22 13 9
Interest	2 8 0	0 12 0	..	..	1 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 16 0	0 12 9
Board of Directors' dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	4 2 9	..	0 9 3	..	5 0 0	..	1 9 6	..	..	..	4 7 0
Total Receipts ..	47 19 11	37 16 3	53 14 7	64 15 2	79 16 9	69 18 3	45 2 9	55 0 0	36 8 11	44 11 7	26 9 6	29 13 1	214 16 6	241 8 10
Total	129 8 3	66 7 10	88 2 6	65 1 1	163 6 1	70 4 2	103 10 9	60 6 3	79 5 11	62 4 10	67 14 1	28 1 3	339 3 9	231 12 9
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	9 0 0	..	25 10 3	..	12 6 8	..	3 0 0	..	..	..	2 0 0	..	59 15 6	..
Medical attendance	..	8 7 0	..	37 10 6	..	68 13 0	..	20 0 0	..	34 12 6	..	34 11 6	..	190 5 5
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	11 16 3	3 0 0	13 15 8	4 1 0	19 13 2	5 17 7	12 9 5	3 12 6	11 1 8	1 12 0	6 5 11	2 1 6	60 18 11	18 9 7
Management	..	27 16 5	..	17 5 7	..	11 11 0	..	15 0 0	..	3 17 6	..	4 5 6	..	70 18 0
Other expenditure	..	..	..	3 15 2	..	2 9 2	..	3 15 9	..	..	..	..	..	11 14 8
Total Expenditure ..	20 16 3	39 3 5	39 5 11	62 12 3	31 19 10	88 10 9	15 9 5	42 8 3	11 1 8	40 2 0	8 5 11	40 18 6	120 14 5	291 7 8
Balance	108 12 0	27 4 5	48 16 7	2 8 10	131 6 3	−18 6 7	88 1 4	17 18 0	68 4 3	22 2 10	59 8 2	−12 17 3	218 9 4	−59 14 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	62 8 0	15 12 0	..	..	100 0 0	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	46 4 0	11 12 5	48 16 7	2 8 10	12 19 8	−18 6 7	38 1 4	17 18 0	68 4 3	22 2 10	46 10 11	−12 17 3	158 14 5	−59 14 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	18 6 7	..	..	..	..	..	12 17 3	..	59 14 11	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	1 8 8[1]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 4 3[2]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	26	23	11	24	38	44	10	23	..	9	5	1	68	107
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	5	4	10	3	2	8	2	5	7	5	8	18	12	15
Not entitled to benefits { New	4	4	20	18	17	10	20	15	10	10	6	..	64	80
Total	35	31	41	45	57	62	32	43	17	24	19	19	144	202
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	4		21		10		15		10		..		90	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		2, £40		..		..		3[3]	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	8		17		5		2		3		..		29	
Number of members sick ..	3		2		6		1		..		2		14	
Period of sickness	9 w.		25 w. 3 d.		12 w. 2 d.		3 w.		..		2 w.		60 w.	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] No complete returns were furnished for this branch.—[3] Not entitled to benefits.

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	50 Ballarat East. Ballarat East. 1886.		51 Preston. South Preston. 1886.		52 Echuca. Echuca. 1886.		53 Windermere. Windermere. 1886.		54 Warracknabeal. Warracknabeal. 1886.		55 Corio. Geelong. 1886.		56 Sale. Sale. 1886.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	130 12 11	6 15 9	43 8 9	7 14 6	82 8 9	−12 2 8	50 12 7	13 5 0	61 9 0	5 4 6	143 11 0	54 7 7	90 17 8	15 10 1
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	172 4 5	208 18 5	58 17 0	52 14 6	68 3 4	58 19 5	33 18 7	34 2 7	73 1 9	59 0 0	266 6 8	219 11 11	77 16 5	105 4 4
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 3 0	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	5 17 9	7 12 3	2 18 0	2 12 0	5 15 6	6 17 0	1 10 9	1 1 9	2 8 9	10 19 3	12 5 9	70 3 3	4 19 0	5 3 6
Interest	9 13 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 0 0	..	3 10 8	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	0 9 0	..	9 4 1	..	..	..	1 10 0	..	2 19 0	..	..
Total Receipts	187 15 2	216 10 8	61 15 0	55 15 6	73 18 10	75 0 6	35 9 4	35 4 4	75 10 6	79 12 3	280 12 5	292 14 2	86 6 1	110 7 10
Total	318 8 1	223 6 5	105 3 9	63 10 0	156 7 7	62 17 10	86 1 11	48 9 4	136 19 6	84 16 9	424 3 5	347 1 9	177 3 9	125 17 11
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	39 9 9	..	..	..	25 17 9	..	10 3 0	..	2 10 0	..	13 11 2	..	17 10 0	..
Medical attendance	..	114 8 6	..	30 10 0	..	52 1 9	..	11 9 9	..	67 11 1	..	190 8 0	..	62 7 6
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	56 17 1	20 12 2	18 2 7	5 2 0	23 6 1	3 5 0	10 12 1	2 19 0	15 7 1	5 6 0	49 13 8	51 2 10	22 6 1	4 13 6
Management	..	72 18 3	..	17 11 0	..	36 18 0	..	9 8 2	..	10 6 0	..	82 5 4	..	41 17 10
Other expenditure	..	7 6 8	..	..	..	2 11 11	..	..	..	..	..	2 7 2	..	..
Total Expenditure	96 6 10	215 5 7	18 2 7	53 3 0	49 3 10	94 16 8	20 15 1	23 16 11	17 17 1	83 3 1	63 4 10	326 3 4	39 16 1	108 18 10
Balance	222 1 3	8 0 10	87 1 2	10 7 0	107 3 9	−31 18 10	65 6 10	24 12 5	119 2 5	1 13 8	360 18 7	20 18 5	137 7 8	16 19 1
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	155 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	250 0 0	..	127 3 0	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	67 1 3	8 0 10	87 1 2	10 7 0	75 4 11	−31 18 10	65 6 10	24 12 5	119 2 5	1 13 8	110 18 7	20 18 5	10 4 8	16 19 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	31 18 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	3 7 0 [1]	..	..	..	..	..	7 5 3 [2]	..	6 16 2 [1]	..	4 7 10 [1]	..	10 16 10 [1]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	51	97	21	27	14	15	21	11	27	24	12	113	31	38
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	28	18	..	3	18	14	2	8	3	20	14	39	17	10
Not entitled to benefits { New	66	35	13	14	20	25	4	6	23	15	168	83	17	17
Total	145	150	34	44	52	54	27	25	53	59	194	235	65	65
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	38		14		27		6		16		87		19	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	33		4		25		8		10		46		19	
Number of members sick	13		..		3		3		1		5		5	
Period of sickness	40 w. 2 d.		..		26 w.		10 w. 1 d.		2 w. 3 d.		13 w. 4 d.		17 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] Emergency and Building Funds.

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	58 Boroondara.[1] Hawthorn. 1886.		59 Majorca. Majorca. 1886.		60 Clifton Hill. Clifton Hill. 1886.		61 Nhill. Nhill. 1886.		62 Egerton. Egerton. 1886.		63 Portland. Portland. 1886.		64 Bairnsdale. Bairnsdale. 1886.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	5 1 5	5 5 6	36 1 3	−6 19 10	26 5 0	−10 18 8	43 15 10	7 2 9	27 15 11	−11 3 6	56 14 0	−10 8 1	27 15 7	..
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	..	..	25 0 1	26 13 6	19 16 6	48 0 6	38 16 1	37 11 9	20 17 5	23 3 8	38 9 8	32 0 2	27 16 7	28 5 10
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	..	1 9 3	1 15 9	2 18 0	3 4 6	0 12 3	2 0 3	0 12 0	2 8 0	1 3 3	1 6 9	3 10 0	15 10 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 12 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	8 6 4	..	10 18 8	..	7 10 0	..	..	..	11 2 9	..	2 17 2
Total Receipts ..	..	..	26 9 4	36 15 7	22 14 6	62 3 8	40 0 4	47 2 0	21 9 5	25 11 8	39 12 11	44 9 8	31 6 7	46 13 0
Total	5 1 5	5 5 6	62 10 7	29 15 9	48 19 6	51 5 0	83 16 2	54 4 9	49 5 4	14 8 2	96 6 11	34 1 7	59 2 2	46 13 0
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	1 16 8	..	1 0 0	..	10 10 0	..	1 3 4	..	4 0 0	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	19 11 9	..	13 2 10	..	37 8 5	..	18 0 6	..	20 0 0	..	22 14 9
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	0 6 8	3 4 6	7 18 0	3 16 6	..	..	9 13 6	3 12 0	6 0 5	1 2 6	9 13 10	2 19 0	10 19 9	5 1 0
Management	..	..	..	9 4 6	..	36 14 2	..	10 14 6	..	13 2 0	..	8 6 3	..	21 7 9
Other expenditure	4 14 9[1]	2 1 0[1]	0 18 9[2]	..	17 17 0[2]	..	..	..	..	..	..	4 11 0	..	4 5 0
Total Expenditure ..	5 1 5	5 5 6	10 13 5	32 12 9	18 17 0	49 17 0	20 3 6	51 14 11	7 3 9	32 5 0	13 13 10	35 16 3	10 19 9	53 8 6
Balance	..	..	51 17 2	−2 17 0	30 2 6	1 8 0	63 12 8	2 9 10	42 1 7	−17 16 10	82 13 1	−1 14 8	48 2 5	−6 15 6
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	29 4 11	..	30 0 0	..	..	..	30 0 0	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	..	..	49 0 2	−2 17 0	0 17 7	1 8 0	33 12 8	2 9 10	24 4 9	−17 16 10	50 18 5	−1 14 8	41 6 11	−6 15 6
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	2 17 0	..	..	..	..	..	17 16 10	..	1 14 8	..	6 15 6	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 17 6[3]	..	1 0 4[3]	..	..	..	3 9 4[3]
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.														
Entitled to benefits	..	..	8	12	2	3	16	18	9	4	19	19	13	15
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	1	..	11	5	8	8	3	2	4	9	1	3	2	..
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	2	..	6	7	9	17	12	4	3	4	7	3	5	33
Total	3	..	25	24	19	28	31	24	16	17	27	25	20	48
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	..		7		17		5		5		3		35	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	3		8		8		12		4		5		7	
Number of members sick ..	..		1		1		2		2		2		..	
Period of sickness	..		1 w. 5 d.		1 w.		10 w. 3 d.		1 w. 1 d.		4 w.		..	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] This branch was closed, and the balances transferred to Board of Directors.——[2] Error in balance.——[3] Emergency Fund.

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	65 Footscray. Footscray. 1886.		66 St. Kilda.[2] St. Kilda. 1886.		67 Fitzroy. Fitzroy. 1886.		68 Hotham. North Melbourne. 1886.		69 Flemington and Kensington. Newmarket. 1887.		70 Penshurst.[6] Penshurst. 1887.		71 Beaufort. Beaufort. 1887.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	36 9 6	−31 11 8	7 12 9	−7 12 9	26 16 7	1 4 10	25 11 4	..	24 2 7	−3 2 1	9 5 10	−4 19 8	23 9 5	4 9 9
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	90 14 1	96 18 2	15 0 0	8 0 0	70 14 7	68 8 3	173 7 10	154 14 1	55 16 4	44 10 9	..	..	32 7 0	21 6 2
Special levies	..	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	4 5 0	10 17 6	1 0 0	5 0 0	5 18 4	6 9 2	11 15 9	20 6 9	4 9 9	12 5 3	..	..	0 6 3	0 16 3
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	10 0 0	..	4 19 9	17 6 0[3]	3 13 3	..	2 10 0	..	5 12 8	..	1 9 4
Total Receipts	94 19 1	107 15 8	16 0 0	33 0 0	76 12 11	79 17 2	202 9 7	178 14 1	60 6 1	59 6 0	..	5 12 8	32 13 3	23 11 9
Total	131 8 7	76 4 0	23 12 9	25 7 3	103 9 6	81 2 0	228 0 11	178 14 1	84 8 8	56 3 11	9 5 10	0 13 0	56 2 8	28 1 6
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	18 3 4	..	2 0 0	..	2 14 3	..	11 10 0	..	2 0 0	..	..	..	2 0 0	..
Medical attendance	..	58 3 10	..	15 0 0	..	40 18 2	..	99 5 0	..	29 18 6	..	..	..	25 3 10
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	20 0 7	6 15 6	19 2 0	5 19 6	14 6 1	7 11 6	47 12 2	26 8 6	12 9 7	6 2 6	2 6 0	0 13 0	9 10 10	5 16 3
Management	..	20 1 6	..	..	..	29 1 3	..	56 13 6	..	17 8 2	..	..	..	16 13 0
Other expenditure	..	..	..	3 9 9	..	..	2 0 0[4]	17 6 0[3]	..	1 19 0	6 19 10[6]	..	..	2 15 0
Total Expenditure	38 3 11	85 0 10	21 2 0	24 9 3	17 0 4	77 10 11	61 2 2	199 13 0	14 9 7	55 8 2	9 5 10	0 13 0	11 10 10	50 8 1
Balance	93 4 8	−8 16 10	2 10 9	0 18 0	86 9 2	3 11 1	166 18 9	−20 18 11	69 19 1	0 15 9	..	..	44 11 10	−22 6 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	50 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	84 7 10	−8 16 10	2 10 9	0 18 0	86 9 2	3 11 1	95 19 10	−20 18 11	69 19 1	0 15 9	..	..	22 5 3	−22 6 7
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	8 16 10	..	..	..	..	..	20 18 11	..	..	..	..	..	22 6 7	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	1 9 9[1]	..	..	..	..	..	8 9 0[1]	..	3 14 0[1]	..	..	..	0 7 6[1]
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	16	50	1	15	3	29	10	57	1	19	..	..	..	13
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	6	11	..	..	..	10	..	23	..	4	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	41	31	12	8	37	31	83	95	31	22	7	..	27	3
Total	63	92	13	23	40	70	93	175	32	45	7	..	27	16
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	38		10		40		103		24		..		3	
Departures { By death	..		..		..		1[5]		..		..		..	
Departures { Otherwise	9		..		10		20		11		7		14	
Number of members sick	2		1		2		4		1		..		1	
Period of sickness	18 w. 1 d.		2 w.		2 w. 5 d.		11 w. 3 d.		2 w.		..		2 w.	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] No complete returns were furnished by this branch.—[3] Repayment of loans.—[4] Sick pay advanced for other branches.—[5] Not entitled to benefits.—[6] This branch was closed, and balance transferred to Board of Directors.

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Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	72 Carisbrook. Carisbrook. 1887.		73 Williamstown. Williamstown. 1887.		75 Learmonth. Learmonth. 1887.		76 Castlemaine. Castlemaine. 1887.		77 Kyneton. Kyneton. 1887.		78 South Gippsland.[2] Yarram Yarram. 1887.		79 Warragul.[2] Warragul. 1888.		80 Lara. Lara. 1888.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fnd.	Incidental Fund.
Balance from last year	£ s. d. 3 3 5	£ s. d. 2 16 9	£ s. d. 27 2 0	£ s. d. 9 3 11	£ s. d. 11 7 7	£ s. d. 0 19 3	£ s. d. 10 13 0	£ s. d. 6 13 1	£ s. d. 6 1 3	£ s. d. 2 4 10	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..
RECEIPTS.																
Contributions	17 7 0	12 7 0	88 19 6	79 5 5	31 7 9	29 3 6	46 18 6	69 16 8	44 12 11	50 12 0	12 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	28 1 7	25 16 3
Special levies	..	..	..	10 13 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	3 4 0	5 6 0	4 11 3	11 16 3	..	3 1 9	1 10 9	4 4 3	7 18 9	8 1 3	1 0 0	2 0 0	0 10 0	1 0 0	3 15 0	11 2 6
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	..	..	8 10 6	..	..	..	2 13 9	..	3 15 9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Receipts	20 11 0	17 13 0	93 10 9	110 5 2	31 7 9	32 5 3	48 9 3	76 14 8	52 11 8	62 9 0	13 0 0	10 0 0	8 10 0	7 0 0	31 16 7	36 18 9
Total	23 14 5	20 9 9	120 12 9	119 9 1	42 15 4	33 4 6	59 2 3	83 7 9	58 12 11	64 13 10	13 0 0	10 0 0	8 10 0	7 0 0	31 16 7	36 18 9
EXPENDITURE.																
Sick pay	..	..	5 10 0	..	7 5 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	14 17 4	..	72 0 5	..	18 19 8	..	28 12 0	..	23 1 3	..	..	..	..	..	15 16 8
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues	4 0 3	0 18 0	22 10 4	12 1 11	7 10 11	2 5 6	10 9 9	10 8 5	11 17 7	1 19 0	11 8 5	2 8 6	..	..	8 0 5	2 8 0
Management	..	6 17 9	..	29 1 3	..	11 9 6	..	42 0 9	..	22 8 6	..	..	..	..	..	18 11 5
Other expenditure	..	2 2 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 1 0	..	4 18 6	..	6 0 3	..	..
Total Expenditure	4 0 3	24 15 7	28 0 4	113 3 7	14 15 11	32 14 8	10 9 9	81 1 2	11 17 7	49 9 9	11 8 5	7 7 0	..	6 0 3	8 0 5	36 16 1
Balance	19 14 2	−4 5 10	92 12 5	6 5 6	27 19 5	0 9 10	48 12 6	2 6 7	46 15 4	15 4 1	1 11 7	2 13 0	8 10 0	0 19 9	23 16 2	0 2 8
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.																
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28 10 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	15 8 4	−4 5 10	92 12 5	6 5 6	27 19 5	0 9 10	48 12 6	2 6 7	18 4 10	15 4 1	1 11 7	2 13 0	8 10 0	0 19 9	23 16 2	0 2 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	4 5 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	0 16 9[1]	..	..	..	3 11 8[1]	..	..	..	..	..	..
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	..	4	..	12	..	7	..	21	1	18	..	5	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — Unfinancial	..	..	..	29	..	3	..	7	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits — New	5	15	42	39	16	13	47	16	24	20	..	10	..	10	..	25
Total	5	19	42	80	16	23	47	44	25	43	..	15	..	10	..	25
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.																
Admitted	15		42		15		18		21		15		10		31	
Departures — By death	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures — Otherwise	1		4		8		21		3		..		..		6	
Number of members sick	..		4		2		..		..		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	..		5 w. 3 d.		7 w. 3 d.		..		..		..		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives	..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] No complete returns were furnished by this branch.

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	81 Drouin. Drouin. 1888.		82 Great Western. Great Western. 1888.		83 Daylesford. Daylesford. 1888.		84 Essendon District. Moonee Ponds. 1888.		85 Terang. Terang. 1888.		86 Nar-nar-goon. Nar-nar-goon. 1888.		87 Talbot. Talbot. 1888.	
Name of branch														
Where situated														
Year when established ..														
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
RECEIPTS.														
Contributions	17 4 2	16 18 6	22 14 8	19 5 10	38 18 5	42 2 4	3 5 1	23 18 4	5 1 0	4 13 3	3 7 11	2 19 1	10 1 0	8 3 4
Special levies	..	..	..	2 19 0	..	..	2 14 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	2 12 0	3 18 0	3 0 0	8 10 0	6 16 6	18 16 0	..	4 1 0	..	14 0 0	4 18 0	7 17 0	4 16 0	13 14 0
Interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	0 10 6	..	0 17 0	..	1 6 3	..	4 1 0	..	0 13 0	..	..	..	0 4 6
Total Receipts ..	19 16 2	21 7 0	25 14 8	31 11 10	45 14 11	62 4 7	5 19 1	32 0 4	5 1 0	19 6 3	8 5 11	10 16 1	14 17 0	22 1 10
Total	19 16 2	21 7 0	25 14 8	31 11 10	45 14 11	62 4 7	5 19 1	32 0 4	5 1 0	19 6 3	8 5 11	10 16 1	14 17 0	22 1 10
EXPENDITURE.														
Sick pay	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance	..	13 1 4	..	13 14 6	..	6 8 4	..	..	..	5 4 0	..	..	..	5 0 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Board of Directors' dues ..	1 4 9	0 9 0	..	..	12 8 8	5 0 0	..	4 4 0	1 3 9	0 6 6	2 5 10	0 11 6	..	4 4 0
Management	..	10 1 1	..	6 15 2	..	35 6 3	..	21 15 9	..	11 5 3	..	12 8 6	..	5 17 10
Other expenditure	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Expenditure ..	1 4 9	23 11 5	..	20 9 8	12 8 8	46 14 7	..	25 19 9	1 3 9	16 15 9	2 5 10	13 0 0	..	15 1 10
Balance	18 11 5	−2 4 5	25 14 8	11 2 2	33 6 3	15 10 0	5 19 1	6 0 7	3 17 3	2 10 6	6 0 1	−2 3 11	14 17 0	7 0 0
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.														
Invested at interest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest ..	16 7 0	−2 4 5	25 14 8	11 2 2	33 6 3	15 10 0	5 19 1	6 0 7	3 17 3	2 10 6	3 16 2	−2 3 11	14 17 0	7 0 0
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	2 4 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2 3 11	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	1 11 6 [1]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.														
Entitled to benefits	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New ..	..	12	..	34	..	71	..	8	..	18	..	23	..	33
Total	..	12	..	36	..	75	..	14	..	18	..	23	..	35
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.														
Admitted	12		36		75		14		18		23		35	
Departures .. { By death ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Departures .. { Otherwise ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Number of members sick ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Period of sickness	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
Deaths of registered wives ..	..		..		..		..		..		..		..	

NOTE.—The minus sign (−) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Emergency Fund.

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	88 Hawthorn. Hawthorn. 1888.		Total of Branch Funds.		Board of Directors' Funds.		The Whole Society.	
Name of branch / Where situated / Year when established	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	..	..	8,130 14 11	1,349 9 9	3,849 19 8	17 9 0	11,980 14 7	1,366 18 9
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	2 13 8	2 0 2	6,255 5 3	6,508 6 3	..	..	6,255 5 3	6,508 6 3
Special levies	..	0 11 0	2 14 0	115 16 2	..	..	2 14 0	115 16 2
Initiation fees, &c.	1 1 0	6 10 0	311 13 7	600 1 8	..	..	311 13 7	600 1 8
Interest	..	..	350 0 0	74 9 5	200 17 4	..	550 17 4	74 9 5
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	..	..	1,644 17 5	649 8 10	1,644 17 5	649 8 10
Other receipts	..	0 5 0	83 6 11	288 4 0	178 0 7	252 4 5	261 7 6	540 8 5
Total Receipts	3 14 8	9 6 2	7,002 19 9	7,586 17 6	2,023 15 4	901 13 3	9,026 15 1	8,488 10 9
Total	3 14 8	9 6 2	15,133 14 8	8,936 7 3	5,873 15 0	919 2 3	21,007 9 8	9,855 9 6
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	..	..	1,642 17 9	..	..	..	1,642 17 9	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	4,364 1 0	..	..	..	4,364 1 0
Funeral donations	..	..	..	..	310 0 0	..	310 0 0	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	1,644 17 5	649 8 10	..	..	1,644 17 5	649 8 10
Management	..	..	..	2,149 5 11	..	584 5 1	..	2,733 11 0
Other expenditure	..	..	80 1 9	188 7 7	..	265 5 2	80 1 9	453 12 9
Total Expenditure	..	..	3,367 16 11	7,351 3 4	310 0 0	849 10 3	3,677 16 11	8,200 13 7
Balance	3 14 8	9 6 2	11,765 17 9	1,585 3 11	5,563 15 0	69 12 0	17,329 12 9	1,654 15 11
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	..	..	8,251 8 4	1,477 5 10	4,771 19 6	..	13,023 7 10	1,477 5 10
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	3 14 8	9 6 2	3,093 1 10	107 18 1	791 15 6	69 12 0	3,884 17 4	177 10 1
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	421 7 7	..	..	..	421 7 7	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	0 5 6[1]	..	913 7 1	..	..	..	913 7 1
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.								
Entitled to benefits	..	8	..	..	..	..	2,176	2,994
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	579	725
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	6	..	..	..	..	1,766	1,929
Total	..	14	..	..	..	..	4,521	5,648
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted		14		..		..		2,118[2]
Departures { By death		..		..		..		18, £220
Departures { Otherwise		..		..		..		973[3]
Number of members sick		..		..		..		395
Period of sickness		..		..		..		1,727 w. 4 d.
Deaths of registered wives		..		..		..		9, £90

ANCIENT ORDER OF SHEPHERDS.

	Sanctuary Victoria. Melbourne. 1863.		District Funds.		The Whole Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	631 1 6	14 11 1	94 10 6	10 18 4	725 12 0	25 9 5
RECEIPTS.						
Contributions	45 5 6	15 6 1	..	..	45 5 6	15 6 1
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	0 5 0	0 5 0	..	..	0 5 0	0 5 0
Interest	46 7 2	..	4 0 0	..	50 7 2	..
Board of Directors' dues	..	..	6 6 6[4]	4 4 0[4]	6 6 6[4]	4 4 0[4]
Other receipts	..	0 16 6	10 0 0[6]	..	10 0 0	0 16 6
Total Receipts	91 17 8	16 7 7	20 6 6	4 4 0	112 4 2	20 11 7
Total	722 19 2	30 18 8	114 17 0	15 2 4	837 16 2	46 1 0
EXPENDITURE.						
Sick pay	38 1 3	..[5]	..	..	38 1 3	..
Medical attendance	..	..	..	..	..	..
Funeral donations	..	..	10 0 0	..	10 0 0	..
Board of Directors' dues	6 6 6[4]	4 4 0[4]	..	..	6 6 6[4]	4 4 0[4]
Management	..	16 19 5	..	..	..	16 19 5
Other expenditure	..	..	..	10 0 0[6]	..	10 0 0
Total Expenditure	44 7 9	21 3 5	10 0 0	10 0 0	54 7 9	31 3 5
Balance	678 11 5	9 15 3	104 17 0	5 2 4	783 8 5	14 17 7
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.						
Invested at interest	585 0 0	..	104 17 0	4 12 10	689 17 0	4 12 10
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	93 11 5	9 15 3	..	0 9 6	93 11 5	10 4 9
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.						
Entitled to benefits	42	40	..	..	42	40
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not entitled to benefits { New	..	2	..	..	..	2
Total	42	42	..	..	42	42
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.						
Admitted		2		..		2
Departures { By death		1, £10		..		1, £10
Departures { Otherwise		1		..		1
Number of members sick		10		..		10
Period of sickness		90 w. 3 d.		..		90 w. 3 d.
Deaths of registered wives		..		..		..

[1] Emergency Fund.—[2] One hundred and fifty-seven of these were admitted by clearance.—[3] Two hundred and two of these left by clearance.—[4] District dues.—[5] No medical benefits are given in this society.
[6] Transferred from the Incidental to the Funeral Fund.

IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS' BENEFIT SOCIETY.

	1 Robert Emmet. Melbourne. 1886.		2 Daniel O'Connell.[3] Melbourne. 1888.		3 Charles Stewart Parnell. North Melbourne. 1888.		4 John Mitchell.[3] Melbourne. 1888.		5 Michael Davitt. Collingwood. 1888.		6 John Dillon. Brunswick. 1888.		Total of Society.	
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	68 8 8	0 18 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68 8 8	0 18 2
Receipts.														
Contributions	124 14 8	84 18 8	40 0 0	25 0 0	42 9 3	28 13 3	10 0 0	7 0 0	9 7 3	6 2 7	0 3 0	0 2 0	226 14 2	151 16 6
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Initiation fees, &c.	..	21 17 0	..	30 0 0	0 4 0	39 19 3	..	15 0 0	..	20 12 0	..	24 5 0	0 4 0	151 13 3
Interest	..	..	..	..	0 15 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0 15 6	..
Executive Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 8 4	..	..	..	3 2 6	..	..	..	3 7 7	..	..	..	13 18 5
Total Receipts	124 14 8	114 4 0	40 0 0	55 0 0	43 8 9	71 15 0	10 0 0	22 0 0	9 7 3	30 2 2	0 3 0	24 7 0	227 13 8	317 8 2
Total	193 3 4	115 2 2	40 0 0	55 0 0	43 8 9	71 15 0	10 0 0	22 0 0	9 7 3	30 2 2	0 3 0	24 7 0	296 2 4	318 6 4
Expenditure.														
Sick pay	25 11 8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25 11 8	..
Medical attendance	..	56 16 9	..	25 0 0	..	31 16 9	..	10 0 0	..	11 2 9	..	..	..	134 16 3
Funeral donations	40 0 0[1]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 0 0	..
Executive Council dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Management	..	34 4 6	..	20 0 0	..	16 14 9	..	8 0 0	..	8 3 0	..	4 8 8	..	91 10 11
Other expenditure	..	32 16 3	..	5 0 0	..	8 3 0	..	1 0 0	..	1 18 9	..	..	..	48 18 0
Total Expenditure	65 11 8	123 17 6	..	50 0 0	..	56 14 6	..	19 0 0	..	21 4 6	..	4 8 8	65 11 8	275 5 2
Balance	127 11 8	−8 15 4	40 0 0	5 0 0	43 8 9	15 0 6	10 0 0	3 0 0	9 7 3	8 17 8	0 3 0	19 18 4	230 10 8	43 1 2
Disposal of Funds.														
Invested at interest	10 0 0	..	..	..	43 8 9	15 0 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	53 8 9	15 0 6
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cash not bearing interest	108 11 8	−8 15 4	40 0 0	5 0 0	..	..	10 0 0	3 0 0	9 7 3	8 17 8	0 3 0	19 18 4	168 1 11	28 0 8
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	9 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 0 0	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Members.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
Entitled to benefits	22	52	..	20	..	20	..	10	..	10	..	..	22	112
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	19	17	..	8	..	8	..	3	..	3	..	..	19	39
Not entitled to benefits { New	25	14	..	8	..	8	..	12	..	13	..	40	25	95
Total	66	83	..	36	..	36	..	25	..	26	..	40	66	246
Admission, Departure, Sickness, Mortality.														
Admitted	29		36		61		25		26		40		217	
Departures { By death	3, £30[2]		..		..		..		..		..		3, £30	
Departures { Otherwise	9		..		25		..		..		..		34	
Number of members sick	10		..		..		..		..		..		10	
Period of sickness	27 w. 3 d.		..		..		..		..		..		27 w. 3 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	1, £10		..		..		..		..		..		1, £10	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] The amounts expended by the branch for funeral benefits will be refunded by Executive Council in 1889.—[2] One member not entitled to benefits, and one entitled to half benefits only—[3] Estimated figures.

Name of Branch	GERMAN SICK AND RELIEF SOCIETY.		ST. MARY'S TOTAL ABSTINENCE BENEFIT SOCIETY.		UNITED LABOURERS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.		GRAND TOTAL OF ALL THE SOCIETIES.	
Where situated	Melbourne.		Geelong.		Carlton.			
Year when established	1861.		1873.		1856.			
	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.	Sick and Funeral Fund.	Incidental Fund.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance from last year	1,021 10 3	563 18 0	206 19 7¾	25 17 2	185 13 1	—0 10 5½	674,108 10 1¼	39,951 6 7¾
RECEIPTS.								
Contributions	219 10 5	258 0 2	63 19 0	76 10 0	21 17 7½	8 7 5	103,141 11 8½	107,459 19 7¾
Special levies	..	..	..	..	..	1 15 8	427 3 3	3,905 7 2
Initiation fees, &c.	16 5 0	..	6 3 6	6 3 6	0 5 0	..	2,438 15 5½	5,643 3 2½
Interest	66 4 10	34 7 4	5 12 0	2 16 10	7 2 3	..	6,698 7 1¾	1,174 1 11½
District, &c., dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other receipts	..	7 18 2	0 15 0[1]	6 16 0	..	0 12 2	7,131 5 6	13,903 10 10
Total Receipts	302 0 3	300 5 8	76 9 6	92 6 4	29 4 10½	10 15 3	149,837 3 0¾	132,086 2 9¾
Total	1,323 10 6	864 3 8	283 9 1¾	118 3 6	214 17 11½	10 4 9½	823,945 13 2	172,037 9 5½
EXPENDITURE.								
Sick pay	54 13 8	..	60 10 0	..	1 2 6	..	67,346 11 3	..
Medical attendance	..	239 10 6	..	40 9 4	..	..	..	77,923 12 4¼
Funeral donations	60 0 0	..	40 0 0	..	..	..	18,260 3 0	..
District, &c., dues	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Management	..	60 15 9	..	37 0 6	..	11 0 4	..	36,499 2 2½
Other expenditure	..	11 4 0	..	16 10 3½	..	..	10,421 4 0	17,285 12 1
Total Expenditure	114 13 8	311 10 3	100 10 0	94 0 1½	1 2 6	11 0 4	96,027 18 3	131,708 6 7¾
Balance	1,208 16 10	552 13 5	182 19 1¾	24 3 4½	213 15 5½	—0 15 6	727,917 14 11	40,329 2 9¾
DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.								
Invested at interest	981 12 1	505 13 3	180 0 0	20 0 0	202 4 11	..	621,296 10 5	16,733 12 8¾
Invested in halls	..	..	..	..	..	..	50,067 8 8	12,452 16 2
Invested, other freehold property	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,857 2 8	474 3 0
Cash not bearing interest	227 4 9	47 0 2	2 19 1¾	4 3 4½	10 15 0	—0 15 6½	50,026 5 9¾	10,668 10 11
Illegally paid to Incidental Fund	..	..	..	..	0 15 6½	..	2,670 7 4¼	..
Other funds possessed by branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,695 13 9½[2]	—3,482 16 2[3]
	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.
NUMBER OF MEMBERS.								
Entitled to benefits	163	170	41	43	34	34	59,752	64,222
Not entitled to benefits { Unfinancial	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,104	5,467
Not entitled to benefits { New	7	3	3	9	..	1	7,660	8,967
Total	170	173	44	52	34	35	72,516	78,656
ADMISSION, DEPARTURE, SICKNESS, MORTALITY.								
Admitted	7		14		1		14,601[4]	
Departures { By death	2, £40		2, £40		..		790, £14,620 3s.	
Departures { Otherwise	2		4		..		7,671[5]	
Number of members sick	18		10		1		11,227	
Period of sickness	70 w. 1 d.		111 w.		1 w. 3 d.		89,599 w. 5 d.	
Deaths of registered wives	2, £20		..		..		383, £3,625; 8 C, £15	

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

[1] Fines.—[2] Total funds possessed by Societies not included in the Sick and Funeral and Incidental Funds.—[3] Debts owing by Societies.—[4] Including 1,530 admitted by clearance.—[5] Including 1,261 left by clearance.

APPENDIX D.

STATISTICS OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES, 1888.

SUMMARY TABLES.

APPENDIX D.—Statistics of Friendly Societies, 1888.—Summary Tables.

AGGREGATE FIGURES OF EACH FRIENDLY SOCIETY IN VICTORIA IN 1888 AND 1883–1887.

Table I.—Branches and Members.—Branches, Entries, Exits, Increase, and Number of Members in 1888, and in the Preceding Quinquennium, in each Society.

Society.	Period.	Branches.				Members.												
						At beginning of Period.		Admitted by—		Left by—				At end of Period.		Average Number.		
		At beginning of Period.	Opened.	Closed.	At end of Period.	Members.	Effective Members. ‡	Initiation.	Clearance. †	Death.	Clearance. †	Arrears, &c.	Average annual Increase or Decrease. (—)	Members.	Effective Members. ‡	Members.	Effective Members. ‡	Percentage Effective.
M.U.I.O.O.F.	1883–1887	154	30	12	172	14,731	13,162	10,187	...	894	...	5,434	772	18,590	16,400	16,660	14,781	88·72
	1888	172	8	4	176	18,590	16,400	2,178	360	197	279	1,172	890	19,480	17,192	19,035	16,796	88·24
G.U.O.O.F.	1883–1887	52	9	6	55	3,319	2,902	2,982	...	191	...	2,102	138	4,008	3,259	3,664	3,081	84·09
	1888	55	2	...	57	4,008	3,259	596	48	45	41	312	246	4,254	3,401	4,131	3,330	86.61
I.O.O.F.	1883–1887	47	11	3	55	4,708	3,608	5,350	...	252	...	3,430	334	6,376	5,097	5,542	4,352	78·53
	1888	55	8	1	62	6,376	5,097	1,569	161	76	128	623	903	7,279	5,660	6,828	5,379	78·78
U.A.O.D.	1883–1887	60	22	5	77	4,729	3,258	8,317	...	332	...	5,200	557	7,514	6,194	6,121	4,726	77·21
	1888	77	7	...	84	7,514	6,194	1,797	198	77	138	853	927	8,441	6,757	7,977	6,475	81·17
A.O.F., Ballarat District	1883–1887	9	...	...	9	451	424	129	...	37	...	130	−8	413	400	432	412	95·37
	1888	9	...	...	9	413	400	21	2	9	5	17	−8	405	384	409	392	95·84
A.O.F., Bendigo District	1883–1887	12	...	1	11	1,391	1,331	307	...	149	...	364	−41	1,185	1,156	1,288	1,244	96·58
	1888	11	...	...	11	1,185	1,156	28	6	24	4	43	−37	1,148	1,107	1,167	1,132	97·00
A.O.F., Geelong and Western District	1883–1887	6	...	...	6	295	282	163	...	22	...	91	10	345	313	320	298	93·13
	1888	6	...	...	6	345	313	32	1	6	...	14	13	358	325	351	319	90·88
A.O.F., Grenville District... ...	1883–1887	3	...	...	3	132	114	11	...	8	...	28	−5	107	100	120	107	89·17
	1888	3	...	...	3	107	100	2	...	2	...	2	−2	105	98	106	99	93·40
A.O.F., Melbourne District ...	1883–1887	73	6	1	78	6,632	6,222	5,812	...	520	...	2,631	532	9,293	8,385	7,962	7,304	91·73
	1888	78	...	...	78	9,293	8,385	1,068	139	135	77	570	425	9,718	8,706	9,506	8,546	89·90
A.O.F., Ovens and Murray District...	1883–1887	6	...	...	6	268	227	106	...	12	...	112	−3	250	227	259	227	87·64
	1888	6	...	...	6	250	227	21	1	...	2	19	1	251	219	250	223	89·20
A.O.F., Portland District	1883–1887	7	...	1	6	474	451	128	...	23	...	105	...	474	439	474	445	93·88
	1888	6	...	...	6	474	439	12	2	8	1	11	−6	468	452	471	446	94·69
A.O.F., Warrnambool District ...	1883–1887	2	...	...	2	100	94	39	...	3	...	31	1	105	102	102	98	96·08
	1888	2	...	...	2	105	102	5	2	...	...	5	2	107	103	106	102	96·23
A.O.F., Court Unity	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	218	215	16	...	25	...	17	−5	192	179	205	197	96·10
	1888	1	...	...	1	192	179	4	3	7	...	5	−5	187	178	190	179	94·21
A.O.F., Court Freedom	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	102	102	9	...	19	...	10	−4	82	81	92	92	100·00
	1888	1	...	...	1	82	81	1	...	4	1	1	−5	77	76	79	78	98·73

A.O.F., Court Ararat	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	52	50	16	...	3	...	12	...	53	49	52	50	96·15
	1888	1	...	...	1	53	49	...	1	1	1	3	−4	49	41	51	45	88·23
A.O.F., Court Amherst	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	39	39	4	...	3	...	9	−2	31	29	35	34	97·14
	1888	1	...	...	1	31	29	...	...	1	1	3	−5	26	25	28	27	96·43
I.O.R.	1883–1887	146	33	23	156	5,696	5,032	6,318	...	264	...	3,909	429	7,841	6,195	6,768	5,613	82·93
	1888	156	8	5	159	7,841	6,195	1,611	232	61	203	838	741	8,582	6,826	8,211	6,510	79·28
O.S.T.	1883–1887	55	14	11	58	2,040	1,546	2,278	...	54	...	1,714	102	2,550	1,815	2,295	1,680	73·20
	1888	58	3	...	61	2,550	1,815	572	55	22	50	379	176	2,726	1,950	2,638	1,882	71·34
H.A.C.B.S.	1883–1887	39	16	7	48	2,772	2,389	2,641	...	191	...	1,427	205	3,795	3,203	3,284	2,796	85·14
	1888	48	2	1	49	3,795	3,203	544	74	42	72	261	243	4,038	3,494	3,917	3,348	85·50
O.St.A.	1883–1887	18	8	4	22	928	850	671	...	101	...	542	6	956	833	942	842	89·38
	1888	22	2	3	21	956	833	125	18	12	6	117	8	964	832	960	832	86·67
O.St.A., S.C.	1883–1887	9	...	3	6	348	326	125	...	27	...	126	−6	320	301	334	313	94·01
	1888	6	...	...	6	320	301	19	1	6	...	10	4	324	309	322	305	94·72
G.U.O.F.G.	1883–1887	15	5	2	18	727	559	1,089	...	48	...	779	52	989	709	858	634	73·89
	1888	18	...	...	18	989	709	282	22	10	27	131	136	1,125	773	1,057	741	70·10
St.P.S., Melbourne District ...	1883–1887	6	1	...	7	497	428	422	...	55	...	264	21	600	521	548	474	86·68
	1888	7	...	1	6	600	521	100	10	7	...	50	53	653	555	627	538	85·81
St.P.S., Geelong and Western District	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	161	152	62	...	13	...	22	5	188	167	175	160	91·43
	1888	1	...	...	1	188	167	7	...	1	...	3	3	191	170	190	169	88·95
P.A.F.S.	1883–1887	20	6	1	25	883	730	1,248	...	65	...	684	100	1,382	1,120	1,133	925	81·64
	1888	25	...	...	25	1,382	1,120	275	37	11	23	156	122	1,504	1,196	1,443	1,158	80·25
A.N.A.	1883–1887	11	52	2	61	627	305	6,077	...	50	...	2,133	779	4,521	2,176	2,574	1,240	48·18
	1888	61	11	3	69	4,521	2,176	1,961	157	18	202	771	1,127	5,648	2,994	5,084	2,585	50·83
A.O.S.	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	42	42	8	...	2	...	6	...	42	42	42	42	100·00
	1888	1	...	...	1	42	42	2	...	1	...	1	...	42	40	42	41	97·62
G.S.R.S.	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	119	110	86	...	8	...	27	10	170	163	145	136	94·44
	1888	1	...	...	1	170	163	7	...	2	...	2	3	173	170	171	167	97·09
St.M.T.A B.S.	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	48	48	19	...	1	...	22	−1	44	41	46	44	97·83
	1888	1	...	...	1	44	41	14	...	2	...	4	8	52	43	48	42	87·50
U.L.F.S.	1883–1887	1	...	...	1	62	62	6	...	3	...	31	−6	34	34	48	48	100·00
	1888	1	...	...	1	34	34	1	...	...	...	...	1	35	34	35	34	97·14
I.N.F.B.S.	1887	...	1	...	1	...	...	77	...	1	...	10	66	66	22	33	11	33·33
	1888	1	5	...	6	66	22	217	...	3	...	34	180	246	112	156	67	42·95
M.T.B.S. *	1888	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
All the Societies	1883–1887	759	214	82	891	52,591	45,060	54,703	...	3,376	...	31,402	3,985	72,516	59,752	62,553	52,406	83·78
	1888	891	57	18	930	72,516	59,752	13,071	1,530	790	1,261	6,410	6,140	78,656	64,222	75,586	61,987	82·01

* This Society was not in existence for a complete year at the end of 1888.—† The members admitted and left by clearance were not distinguished prior to 1888, and such members during 1883–87 are included in the columns headed "Initiation," "Arrears, &c."—‡ Effective members are those entitled to sick or funeral benefits.

TABLE II.—RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURE and FUNDS, and Amount per Annum per Effective Member, of the Sick and Funeral Fund and Incidental Fund, in 1888, and the Preceding Quinquennium, in each Society.

Society.	Fund.	Period.	Receipts.						Expenditure.						Excess of Receipts over Expenditure per Annum.	Funds at beginning of Period.	Funds at end of Period.
			Contributions.	Levies.	Entrance and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	Sundries.	Total.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Management.	Sundries.	Total.			
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
M.U.I.O.O.F.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887 ..	114,409 1 11 0	74 ..	2,873 0 0 9	60,348 0 16 4	3,287 0 0 11	180,991 2 9 0	94,585 1 5 7	21,617 0 5 10	.. ..	.. ..	3,606 0 1 0	119,808 1 12 5	12,236 0 16 7	194,109 14 14 11	255,292 15 11 4
		1888 ..	28,500 1 14 0	297 0 0 4	.. ..	14,144 0 16 10	2,360 0 2 10	45,301 2 14 0	21,351 1 5 5	4,663 0 5 7	.. ..	.. ..	2,941 0 3 6	28,955 1 14 6	16,346 0 19 6	255,292 15 11 4	271,638 15 16 0
	Incidental	1883–1887 ..	113,845 1 10 10	12,142 0 3 3	6,977 0 1 11	1,300 0 0 4	21,291 0 5 9	155,555 2 2 1	.. ..	.. ..	90,656 1 4 6	40,853 0 11 1	22,141 0 6 0	153,650 2 1 7	381 0 0 6	7,115 0 10 10	9,020 0 11 0
		1888 ..	26,364 1 11 5	2,168 0 2 7	1,398 0 1 8	314 0 0 4	2,793 0 3 4	33,037 1 19 4	.. ..	.. ..	20,678 1 4 8	8,474 0 10 1	3,400 0 4 0	32,552 1 18 9	485 0 0 7	9,020 0 11 0	9,505 0 11 1
G.U.O.O.F.	Sick and Funer ..	1883–1887 ..	25,705 1 13 4	96 0 0 2	1,569 0 2 0	7,815 0 10 2	1,287 0 1 8	36,472 2 7 4	18,432 1 3 11	4,070 0 5 3	.. ..	.. ..	1,652 0 2 2	24,154 1 11 4	2,464 0 16 0	22,249 7 13 4	34,567 10 12 1
		1888 ..	5,927 1 15 8	49 0 0 4	286 0 1 6	1,853 0 11 2	48 0 0 4	8,163 2 9 0	4,151 1 4 11	1,020 0 6 2	.. ..	.. ..	115 0 0 8	5,286 1 11 9	2,877 0 17 3	34,567 10 12 1	37,444 11 0 3
	Incidental	1883–1887 ..	19,350 1 5 2	6,939 0 9 0	932 0 1 2	171 0 0 3	7,588 0 9 10	34,980 2 5 5	.. ..	.. ..	19,656 1 5 6	9,751 0 12 8	4,807 0 6 3	34,214 2 4 5	153 0 1 0	1,014 0 7 0	1,780 0 10 11
		1888 ..	5,948 1 15 9	.. ..	171 0 1 0	45 0 0 3	886 0 5 4	7,050 2 2 4	.. ..	.. ..	4,246 1 5 6	2,241 0 13 6	691 0 4 2	7,178 2 3 2	128* 0 0 10*	1,780 0 10 11	1,652 0 9 9
I.O.O.F.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887 ..	38,810 1 15 8	41 ..	704 0 0 8	9,721 0 8 11	5,430 0 5 0	54,706 2 10 3	22,164 1 0 5	6,178 0 5 8	.. ..	.. ..	2,310 0 2 1	30,652 1 8 2	4,811 1 2 1	25,005 6 18 7	49,059 9 12 6
		1888 ..	9,752 1 16 3	.. ..	182 0 0 8	2,911 0 10 10	255 0 1 0	13,100 2 8 9	5,239 0 19 6	1,787 0 6 8	.. ..	.. ..	650 0 2 5	7,676 1 8 7	5,424 1 0 2	49,059 9 12 6	54,483 9 12 6
	Incidental	1883–1887 ..	39,709 1 16 6	595 0 0 6	3,338 0 3 1	722 0 0 8	6,955 0 6 5	51,319 2 7 2	.. ..	.. ..	28,949 1 6 7	14,154 0 13 1	8,236 0 7 7	51,339 2 7 2	4* ..	4,419 1 4 6	4,399 0 17 3
		1888 ..	9,906 1 16 10	146 0 0 7	764 0 2 10	76 0 0 3	960 0 3 7	11,852 2 4 1	.. ..	.. ..	7,204 1 6 10	3,213 0 12 0	3,536 0 13 2	13,953 2 12 0	2,101* 0 7 11*	4,399 0 17 3	2,298 0 8 2
U.A.O.D.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887 ..	37,690 1 11 11	2,300 0 1 11	3,798 0 3 3	8,646 0 7 4	7,007 0 5 11	59,441 2 10 4	23,829 1 0 2	7,577 0 6 5	.. ..	.. ..	3,920 0 3 4	35,326 1 9 11	4,823 1 0 5	19,942 6 2 5	44,057 7 2 3
		1888 ..	9,979 1 10 10	26 0 0 1	969 0 3 0	2,415 0 7 6	1,465 0 4 6	14,854 2 5 11	5,314 0 16 5	1,790 0 5 6	.. ..	.. ..	509 0 1 7	7,613 1 3 6	7,241 1 2 5	44,057 7 2 3	51,298 7 11 10
	Incidental	1883–1887 ..	38,599 1 12 8	8,711 0 7 4	3,377 0 2 10	268 0 0 3	14,725 0 12 6	65,680 2 15 7	.. ..	.. ..	34,199 1 8 11	16,215 0 13 9	13,326 0 11 3	63,740 2 13 11	388 0 1 8	1,538 0 9 5	3,478 0 11 3
		1888 ..	11,939 1 16 11	87 0 0 3	773 0 2 5	187 0 0 7	2,321 0 7 2	15,307 2 7 4	.. ..	.. ..	8,219 1 5 4	3,829 0 11 10	2,684 0 8 4	14,732 2 5 6	575 0 1 10	3,478 0 11 3	4,053 0 12 0
A.O.F., Ballarat District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887 ..	3,662 1 15 7	81 0 0 10	77 0 0 9	707 0 6 10	90 0 0 10	4,617 2 4 10	3,567 1 14 8	855 0 8 4	.. ..	.. ..	71 0 0 8	4,493 2 3 8	25 0 1 2	3,491 8 4 8	3,615 9 0 9
		1888 ..	690 1 15 3	.. ..	17 0 0 11	146 0 7 5	1 ..	854 2 3 7	559 1 8 7	200 0 10 2	.. ..	.. ..	2 0 0 1	761 1 18 10	93 0 4 9	3,615 9 0 9	3,708 9 13 2
	Incidental	1883–1887 ..	3,279 1 11 10	372 0 3 8	.. ..	.. ..	669 0 6 6	4,320 2 2 0	.. ..	.. ..	2,584 1 5 1	1,499 0 14 7	531 0 5 2	4,614 2 4 10	59* 0 2 10*	- 222 -0 10 6	- 516 -1 5 10
		1888 ..	581 1 9 8	98 0 5 0	.. ..	.. ..	60 0 3 1	739 1 17 9	.. ..	.. ..	470 1 4 0	263 0 13 5	59 0 3 0	792 2 0 5	53* 0 2 8*	-516 -1 5 10	-569 -1 9 8

A.O.F., Bendigo District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	10,216 1 12 10	605 0 2 0	416 0 1 4	2,132 0 6 10	1,058 0 3 5	14,427 2 6 5	9,958 1 12 0	3,373 0 10 10	.. ..	.. ..	492 0 1 7	13,823 2 4 5	121 0 2 0	8,120 6 2 0	8,724 7 10 11
		1888 ..	2,146 1 17 11	.. ..	61 0 1 1	441 0 7 10	16 0 0 3	2,664 2 7 1	1,679 1 9 8	570 0 10 1	.. ..	.. ..	79 0 1 5	2,328 2 1 2	336 0 5 11	8,724 7 10 11	9,060 8 3 9
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	8,469 1 7 3	1,804 0 5 10	33 0 0 1	49 0 0 2	2,260 0 7 3	12,615 2 0 7	.. ..	.. ..	6,784 1 1 10	4,009 0 12 11	2,174 0 7 0	12,967 2 1 9	70* 0 1 2*	1,200 0 18 0	848 0 14 8
		1888 ..	1,447 1 5 7	270 0 4 9	2 0 0 1	27 0 0 5	265 0 4 8	2,011 1 15 6	.. ..	.. ..	1,230 1 1 9	752 0 13 3	648 0 11 5	2,630 2 6 5	619* 0 10 11*	848 0 14 8	229 0 4 2
A.O.F., Geelong and Western District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	2,073 1 7 10	.. ..	20 0 0 3	844 0 11 4	7 0 0 1	2,944 1 19 6	1,562 1 1 0	520 0 7 0	.. ..	.. ..	4 ..	2,086 1 8 0	172 0 11 6	3,107 11 0 4	3,965 12 13 4
		1888 ..	453 1 8 5	.. ..	6 0 0 5	209 0 13 1	.. ..	668 2 1 11	469 1 9 5	130 0 8 2	.. ..	.. ..	13 0 0 10	612 1 18 5	56 0 3 6	3,965 12 13 4	4,021 12 7 5
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	2,282 1 10 8	116 0 1 7	99 0 1 4	2 ..	192 0 2 7	2,691 1 16 2	.. ..	.. ..	1,701 1 2 10	762 0 10 3	186 0 2 6	2,649 1 15 7	8 0 0 7	71 0 5 0	113 0 7 3
		1888 ..	486 1 10 6	31 0 1 11	17 0 1 1	.. ..	28 0 1 9	562 1 15 3	.. ..	.. ..	365 1 2 11	133 0 8 4	14 0 0 10	512 1 12 1	50 0 3 2	113 0 7 3	163 0 10 0
A.O.F., Grenville District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	751 1 8 1	.. ..	10 0 0 5	376 0 14 1	85 0 3 2	1,222 2 5 9	998 1 17 4	230 0 8 7	.. ..	.. ..	153 0 5 9	1,381 2 11 8	32* 0 5 11*	1,704 14 19 0	1,545 15 9 0
		1888 ..	143 1 18 11	.. ..	2 0 0 5	79 0 15 11	3 0 0 7	227 2 5 10	155 1 11 4	40 0 8 1	.. ..	.. ..	155 1 11 4	350 3 10 9	123* 1 4 11*	1,545 15 9 0	1,422 14 10 3
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	1,054 1 19 5	39 0 1 5	.. ..	4 0 0 2	22 0 0 10	1,119 2 1 10	.. ..	.. ..	619 1 3 2	511 0 19 1	23 0 0 10	1,153 2 3 1	7* 0 1 3*	17 0 2 11	−17 −0 3 5
		1888 ..	189 1 18 2	7 0 1 5	.. ..	.. ..	2 0 0 5	198 2 0 0	.. ..	.. ..	95 0 19 2	80 0 16 2	3 0 0 7	178 1 15 11	20 0 4 1	−17 −0 3 5	3 0 0 8
A.O.F., Melbourne District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	52,775 1 8 11	113 0 0 1	481 0 0 4	16,846 0 9 2	7,933 0 4 4	78,148 2 2 10	42,164 1 3 1	13,355 0 7 4	.. ..	.. ..	1,074 0 0 7	56,593 1 11 0	4,311 0 11 10	54,815 8 16 2	76,370 9 2 2
		1888 ..	12,101 1 8 4	46 0 0 2	118 0 0 4	3,964 0 9 4	800 0 1 8	17,029 1 19 10	9,301 1 1 9	3,310 0 7 9	.. ..	.. ..	3,921 0 9 2	16,532 1 18 8	497 0 1 2	76,370 9 2 2	76,867 8 16 7
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	55,162 1 10 2	6,991 0 3 10	3,612 0 2 0	161 0 0 1	10,815 0 5 11	76,741 2 2 0	.. ..	.. ..	46,625 1 5 6	18,603 0 10 2	11,116 0 6 1	76,344 2 1 9	79 0 0 3	2,972 0 9 7	3,369 0 8 0
		1888 ..	14,069 1 12 11	383 0 0 11	765 0 1 10	44 0 0 1	1,096 0 2 7	16,357 1 18 4	.. ..	.. ..	10,336 1 4 2	4,235 0 10 0	1,758 0 4 1	16,329 1 18 3	28 0 0 1	3,369 0 8 0	3,397 0 7 10
A.O.F., Ovens and Murray District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	1,554 1 7 5	.. ..	73 0 1 3	722 0 12 9	287 0 5 1	2,636 2 6 6	851 0 15 0	300 0 5 3	. ..	. ..	224 0 4 0	1,375 1 4 3	252 1 2 3	2,944 12 19 5	4,205 18 10 6
		1888 ..	297 1 6 8	.. ..	14 0 1 3	180 0 16 2	48 0 4 3	539 2 8 4	107 0 9 7	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	40 0 3 7	147 0 13 2	392 1 15 2	4,205 18 10 6	4,597 20 19 10
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	1,932 1 14 1	357 0 6 3	74 0 1 4	19 0 0 4	674 0 11 11	3,056 2 13 11	.. ..	.. ..	1,605 1 8 4	890 0 15 8	418 0 7 5	2,913 2 11 5	29 0 2 6	−49 −0 4 4	94 0 8 4
		1888 ..	358 1 12 1	77 0 6 11	14 0 1 3	2 0 0 2	85 0 7 8	536 2 8 1	.. ..	.. ..	306 1 7 5	192 0 17 3	24 0 2 2	522 2 6 10	14 0 1 3	94 0 8 4	108 0 9 10
A.O.F., Portland District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887 ..	3,156 1 8 5	.. ..	85 0 0 9	1,747 0 15 9	49 0 0 5	5,037 2 5 4	2,737 1 4 7	510 0 4 7	.. ..	.. ..	369 0 3 4	3,616 1 12 6	284 0 12 10	7,196 15 19 1	8,617 19 12 7
		1888 ..	582 1 6 1	.. ..	12 0 0 7	375 0 16 10	10 0 0 5	979 2 3 11	574 1 5 9	200 0 9 0	.. ..	.. ..	1 ..	775 1 14 9	204 0 9 2	8,617 19 12 7	8,821 19 10 4
	Incidental	1883-1887 ..	3,414 1 10 8	410 0 3 8	70 0 0 8	48 0 0 5	413 0 3 9	4,355 1 19 2	.. ..	.. ..	2,719 1 4 5	1,242 0 11 2	271 0 2 6	4,232 1 18 1	25 0 1 1	183 0 8 1	306 0 13 11
		1888 ..	641 1 8 9	113 0 5 1	.. ..	.. ..	102 0 4 7	856 1 18 5	.. ..	.. ..	530 1 3 9	216 0 9 8	99 0 4 6	845 1 17 11	11 0 0 6	306 0 13 11	317 0 14 0

NOTE.—The asterisk (*) signifies the excess of the expenditure over the receipts.
The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

TABLE II.—RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURE and FUNDS, and Amount per Annum per Effective Member, of the Sick and Funeral Fund and Incidental Fund, in 1888, and the Preceding Quinquennium, in each Society—*continued*.

Society.	Fund.	Period.	Receipts.						Expenditure.						Excess of Receipts over Expenditure per Annum.	Funds at beginning of Period.	Funds at end of Period.
			Contributions	Levies.	Entrance and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	Sundries.	Total.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Management.	Sundries.	Total.			
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
A.O.F., Warrnambool District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	681 1 7 10	.. ..	24 0 1 0	519 1 1 2	9 0 0 4	1,233 2 10 4	330 0 13 6	60 0 2 5	.. ..	.. ..	15 0 0 7	405 0 16 6	166 1 13 10	1,358 14 8 11	2,186 21 8 7
		1888 ..	139 1 7 3	.. ..	3 0 0 7	129 1 5 4	32 0 6 3	303 2 19 5	111 1 1 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	111 1 1 9	192 1 17 8	2,186 21 8 7	2,378 23 1 9
	Incidental	1883–1887	667 1 7 3	101 0 4 1	24 0 1 0	.. ..	98 0 4 0	890 1 16 4	.. ..	.. ..	515 1 1 0	257 0 10 6	119 0 4 11	891 1 16 5	1* 0 0 1*	45 0 9 7	44 0 8 8
		1888 ..	134 1 6 3	20 0 3 11	3 0 0 7	.. ..	8 0 1 7	165 1 12 4	.. ..	.. ..	106 1 0 9	48 0 9 5	8 0 1 7	162 1 11 9	3 0 0 7	44 0 8 8	47 0 9 2
A.O.F., Court Unity	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	1,937 1 19 4	.. ..	7 0 0 2	1,741 1 15 4	1 ..	3,686 3 14 10	2,558 2 11 11	540 0 11 0	.. ..	.. ..	13 0 0 3	3,111 3 3 2	115 0 11 8	4,806 22 7 1	5,381 30 1 3
		1888 ..	351 1 19 3	.. ..	.. ..	374 2 1 9	.. ..	725 4 1 0	495 2 15 4	170 0 19 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	665 3 14 4	60 0 6 8	5,381 30 1 3	5,441 30 11 4
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,435 1 9 2	61 0 1 3	2 ..	.. ..	478 0 9 9	1,976 2 0 2	.. ..	.. ..	1,145 1 3 3	476 0 9 8	386 0 7 10	2,007 2 0 9	6* 0 0 7*	32 0 3 0	1 0 0 1
		1888 ..	286 1 11 11	.. ..	2 0 0 3	.. ..	53 0 5 11	341 1 18 1	.. ..	.. ..	217 1 4 3	85 0 9 6	17 0 1 11	319 1 15 8	22 0 2 5	1 0 0 1	23 0 2 7
A.O.F., Court Freedom	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	1,235 2 13 9	.. ..	.. ..	503 1 1 10	.. ..	1,738 3 15 7	1,677 3 12 11	420 0 18 3	.. ..	.. ..	5 0 0 3	2,102 4 11 5	75* 0 15 10*	1,656 16 4 8	1,292 15 19 0
		1888 ..	214 2 14 10	.. ..	.. ..	103 1 6 5	.. ..	317 4 1 3	271 3 9 6	80 1 0 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	351 4 10 0	34* 0 8 9*	1,292 15 19 0	1,258 6 11 1
	Incidental	1883–1887	696 1 10 3	.. ..	6 0 0 3	.. ..	42 0 1 10	744 1 12 4	.. ..	.. ..	489 1 1 3	212 0 9 3	11 0 0 6	712 1 11 0	6 0 1 4	−29 −0 5 8	3 0 0 9
		1888 ..	122 1 11 3	.. ..	1 0 0 3	.. ..	9 0 2 4	132 1 13 10	.. ..	.. ..	88 1 2 7	40 0 10 3	5 0 1 3	133 1 14 1	1* 0 0 3*	3 0 0 9	2 0 0 6
A.O.F., Court Ararat	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	383 1 10 8	24 0 1 11	7 0 0 6	260 1 0 10	3 0 0 3	677 2 14 2	335 1 6 10	50 0 4 0	.. ..	.. ..	4 0 0 4	389 1 11 2	58 1 3 0	739 14 15 7	1,027 20 19 2
		1888 ..	74 1 12 11	.. ..	.. ..	63 1 8 0	1 0 0 5	138 3 1 4	43 0 19 1	20 0 8 11	.. ..	.. ..	1 0 0 5	64 1 8 5	74 1 12 11	1,027 20 19 2	1,101 26 17 1
	Incidental	1883–1887	439 1 15 2	.. ..	10 0 0 10	.. ..	57 0 4 6	506 2 0 6	.. ..	.. ..	325 1 6 0	107 0 8 7	44 0 3 6	476 1 18 1	6 0 2 5	−16 −0 6 5	14 0 5 9
		1888 ..	82 1 16 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0 0 5	83 1 16 11	.. ..	.. ..	70 1 11 1	22 0 9 10	.. ..	92 2 0 11	9* 0 4 0*	14 0 5 9	5 0 2 5
A.O.F., Court Amherst	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	222 1 6 2	.. ..	4 0 0 6	40 0 4 8	5 0 0 7	271 1 11 11	188 1 2 1	70 0 8 3	.. ..	.. ..	4 0 0 6	262 1 10 10	1 0 1 1	480 12 6 2	489 16 17 3
		1888 ..	32 1 8 2	.. ..	.. ..	9 0 6 8	.. ..	47 1 14 10	14 0 10 4	20 0 14 10	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	34 1 5 2	13 0 9 8	489 16 17 3	502 20 1 7
	Incidental	1883–1887	332 1 19 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	16 0 1 11	348 2 1 0	.. ..	.. ..	231 1 7 2	108 0 12 9	7 0 0 10	346 2 0 9	1 0 0 3	6 0 3 1	8 0 5 6
		1888 ..	59 2 3 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	59 2 3 9	.. ..	.. ..	37 1 7 5	22 0 16 0	1 0 0 9	60 2 4 6	1* 0 0 9*	8 0 5 6	7 0 5 7

I.O.R.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	41,513	498	2,046	19,267	3,448	66,772	31,898	5,257	..	..	2,793	39,948	5,365	59,915	86,739
			1 9 7	0 0 4	0 1 6	0 13 9	0 2 5	2 7 7	1 2 9	0 3 9	..	..	0 1 11	1 8 5	0 19 2	11 18 2	14 0 0
		1888	11,165	..	7	4,672	835	16,679	7,199	1,300	..	..	818	9,317	7,362	86,739	94,101
			1 14 4	..	..	0 14 4	0 2 7	2 11 3	1 2 1	0 4 0	..	..	0 2 6	1 8 7	1 2 8	14 0 0	13 15 9
	Incidental	1883-1887	44,882	1,565	690	342	8,132	55,611	..	..	29,637	16,676	8,475	54,788	165	838	1,661
			1 12 0	0 1 1	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 5 10	1 19 8	..	..	1 1 2	0 11 11	0 6 0	1 19 1	0 0 7	0 3 4	0 5 4
		1888	12,129	..	261	78	1,308	13,776	..	..	7,792	4,182	1,654	13,628	148	1,661	1,809
			1 17 3	..	0 0 10	0 0 3	0 4 0	2 2 4	..	..	1 4 0	0 12 10	0 5 1	2 1 11	0 0 5	0 5 4	0 5 4
O.S.T.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	11,389	86	162	3,621	844	16,102	7,498	1,130	..	..	976	9,604	1,300	13,784	20,282
			1 7 1	0 0 3	0 0 5	0 8 7	0 2 0	1 18 4	0 17 10	0 2 9	..	..	0 2 4	1 2 10	0 15 6	8 18 4	11 3 6
		1888	2,778	..	10	984	424	4,196	1,425	380	..	..	448	2,253	1,943	20,282	22,225
			1 9 6	..	0 0 1	0 10 6	0 4 6	2 4 7	0 15 2	0 4 0	..	..	0 4 9	1 3 11	1 0 8	11 3 6	11 8 0
	Incidental	1883-1887	10,801	2,207	634	93	2,442	16,177	..	..	9,141	5,323	2,066	16,530	71*	1,032	679
			1 5 9	0 5 3	0 1 6	0 0 3	0 5 10	1 18 7	..	..	1 1 9	0 12 9	0 4 11	1 19 5	0 0 10*	0 13 4	0 7 6
		1888	3,271	..	78	41	472	3,862	..	..	2,077	1,220	399	3,696	166	679	845
			1 14 9	..	0 0 10	0 0 6	0 5 0	2 1 1	..	..	1 2 1	0 13 0	0 4 3	1 19 4	0 1 9	0 7 6	0 8 8
H.A.C.B.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	19,467	55	1,577	4,523	779	26,401	15,859	4,630	..	..	1,623	22,112	858	14,869	19,158
			1 7 10	0 0 1	0 2 3	0 6 6	0 1 1	1 17 9	1 2 8	0 6 8	..	..	0 2 4	1 11 8	0 6 1	6 4 6	5 19 7
		1888	4,692	..	341	1,200	202	6,435	3,509	960	..	..	189	4,658	1,777	19,158	20,935
			1 8 0	..	0 2 0	0 7 2	0 1 3	1 18 5	1 1 0	0 5 9	..	..	0 1 1	1 7 10	0 10 7	5 19 7	5 19 10
	Incidental	1883-1887	20,761	2,651	1,708	204	4,458	29,782	..	..	17,885	7,314	3,485	28,684	220	1,105	2,203
			1 9 9	0 3 9	0 2 5	0 0 3	0 6 5	2 2 7	..	..	1 5 7	0 10 6	0 4 11	2 1 0	0 1 7	0 9 3	0 13 9
		1888	5,762	94	339	58	1,120	7,373	..	..	4,391	1,763	983	7,137	236	2,203	2,439
			1 14 5	0 0 7	0 2 0	0 0 4	0 6 9	2 4 1	..	..	1 6 3	0 10 6	0 5 11	2 2 8	0 1 5	0 13 9	0 14 0
O.St.A.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	7,029	169	162	842	202	8,404	4,774	2,220	..	..	618	7,612	158	3,638	4,430
			1 13 5	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 4 0	0 0 11	1 19 11	1 2 8	0 10 7	..	..	0 2 11	1 16 2	0 3 9	4 5 7	5 6 4
		1888	1,310	2	3	174	28	1,517	868	320	..	..	149	1,337	180	4,430	4,610
			1 11 6	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 4 2	0 0 8	1 16 6	1 0 10	0 7 9	..	..	0 3 7	1 12 2	0 4 4	5 6 4	5 10 10
	Incidental	1883-1887	6,951	668	261	168	1,935	9,983	..	..	5,412	3,438	1,502	10,352	74*	757	388
			1 13 0	0 3 2	0 1 3	0 0 10	0 9 2	2 7 5	..	..	1 5 9	0 16 4	0 7 1	2 9 2	0 1 9*	0 17 10	0 9 4
		1888	1,319	150	71	29	232	1,801	..	..	925	619	170	1,714	87	388	475
			1 11 9	0 3 7	0 1 9	0 0 8	0 5 7	2 3 4	..	..	1 2 3	0 14 11	0 4 1	2 1 3	0 2 1	0 9 4	0 11 5
O.St.A., S C.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	2,376	..	44	744	191	3,355	1,883	640	..	..	207	2,730	125	2,871	3,496
			1 10 3	..	0 0 7	0 9 6	0 2 5	2 2 9	1 4 0	0 8 2	..	..	0 2 8	1 14 10	0 7 11	8 16 2	11 12 3
		1888	335	..	15	171	127	648	321	170	..	..	2	493	155	3,496	3,651
			1 1 11	..	0 1 0	0 11 2	0 8 4	2 2 5	1 1 0	0 11 2	..	..	0 0 1	1 12 3	0 10 2	11 12 3	11 16 4
	Incidental	1883-1887	2,819	64	76	76	364	3,399	..	..	1,744	1,245	165	3,154	49	343	588
			1 15 11	0 0 10	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 4 7	2 3 4	..	..	1 2 3	0 15 10	0 2 1	2 0 2	0 3 2	1 1 0	1 19 1
		1888	722	..	12	13	37	784	..	..	334	235	152	721	63	588	651
			2 7 4	..	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 2 5	2 11 5	..	..	1 1 11	0 15 5	0 9 11	2 7 3	0 4 2	1 19 1	2 2 2
G.U.O.F.G.	Sick and Funeral	1883-1887	5,609	50	10	1,018	207	6,894	3,230	1,150	..	..	297	4,677	443	3,658	5,875
			1 15 4	0 0 4	0 0 1	0 6 5	0 1 4	2 3 6	1 0 5	0 7 3	..	..	0 1 10	1 9 6	0 14 0	6 10 11	8 5 9
		1888	1,481	..	7	298	19	1,805	608	180	..	..	41	829	976	5,875	6,851
			2 0 0	..	0 0 2	0 8 1	0 0 6	2 8 9	0 16 5	0 4 11	..	..	0 1 1	1 2 5	1 6 4	8 5 9	8 17 3
	Incidental	1883-1887	5,123	947	568	21	1,197	7,856	..	..	4,462	2,388	994	7,844	2	205	217
			1 12 4	0 6 0	0 3 7	0 0 1	0 7 7	2 9 7	..	..	1 8 2	0 15 1	0 6 3	2 9 6	0 0 1	0 7 4	0 6 2
		1888	1,590	..	124	9	178	1,901	..	..	1,082	575	140	1,797	104	217	321
			2 2 11	..	0 3 4	0 0 3	0 4 10	2 11 4	..	..	1 9 2	0 15 6	0 3 10	2 8 6	0 2 10	0 6 2	0 8 4

NOTE.—The asterisk (*) signifies the excess of the expenditure over the receipts.
The minus sign (–) signifies a debit balance.

TABLE II.—RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURE and FUNDS, and Amount per Annum per Effective Member, of the Sick and Funeral Fund and Incidental Fund, in 1888, and the Preceding Quinquennium, in each Society—*continued*.

Society.	Fund.	Period.	Receipts.						Expenditure.						Excess of Receipts over Expenditure per Annum.	Funds at beginning of Period.	Funds at end of Period.
			Contributions.	Levies.	Entrance and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	Sundries.	Total.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Management.	Sundries.	Total.			
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
St.P.S., Melbourne District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	4,694	..	203	2,367	34	7,298	3,435	1,170	..	..	149	4,754	509	7,598	10,142
		..	1 19 6	..	0 1 9	0 19 11	0 0 4	3 1 6	1 8 11	0 9 11	..	..	0 1 3	2 0 1	1 1 5	17 15 1	19 9 4
		1888	1,065	..	28	595	162	1,850	754	140	..	..	177	1,071	779	10,142	10,921
		..	1 19 7	..	0 1 1	1 2 1	0 6 0	3 8 9	1 8 0	0 5 3	..	..	0 6 7	1 19 10	1 8 11	19 9 4	19 13 7
	Incidental	1883–1887	3,840	19	162	1,450	7,184	12,655	..	..	3,404	1,719	1,213	6,336	1,264	2,822	9,141
		..	1 12 4	0 0 2	0 1 4	0 12 3	3 0 6	5 6 7	..	..	0 18 8	0 14 6	0 10 3	2 13 5	2 13 2	6 11 10	17 10 11
		1888	763	..	30	139	1,133	2,065	.	..	645	341	158	1,144	921	9,141	10,062
		..	1 8 4	..	0 1 1	0 5 2	2 2 2	3 16 9	..	..	1 4 0	0 12 8	0 5 10	2 2 6	1 14 3	17 10 11	18 2 7
St.P.S., Geelong and Western District	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	1,020	..	40	506	3	1,569	1,023	259	..	..	21	1,303	53	1,726	1,992
		..	1 5 6	..	0 1 0	0 12 8	0 0 1	1 19 3	1 5 7	0 6 6	..	..	0 0 6	1 12 7	0 6 8	11 7 1	11 18 7
		1888	200	..	5	120	..	325	185	20	..	..	..	205	120	1,992	2,112
		..	1 3 8	..	0 0 7	0 14 3	..	1 18 6	1 1 11	0 2 4	..	..	..	1 4 3	0 14 3	11 18 7	12 8 6
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,029	..	42	..	167	1,238	..	..	729	341	163	1,233	1	55	60
		..	1 5 9	..	0 1 0	..	0 4 2	1 10 11	..	..	0 18 3	0 8 6	0 4 1	1 10 10	0 0 1	0 7 3	0 7 2
		1888	200	..	5	..	34	239	..	..	154	63	23	240	1*	60	59
		..	1 3 8	..	0 0 7	..	0 4 0	1 8 3	..	..	0 18 3	0 7 5	0 2 9	1 8 5	0 0 2*	0 7 2	0 6 11
P.A.F.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	7,041	110	432	1,256	684	9,523	3,938	1,330	..	..	468	5,736	755	3,625	7,412
		..	1 10 5	0 0 6	0 1 11	0 5 5	0 2 11	2 1 2	0 17 0	0 5 9	..	..	0 2 0	1 4 9	0 16 5	4 19 4	6 12 4
		1888	1,900	3	18	409	22	2,352	821	330	..	..	89	1,240	1,112	7,412	8,524
		..	1 12 10	0 0 1	0 0 4	0 7 1	0 0 4	2 0 8	0 14 2	0 5 9	..	..	0 1 6	1 1 5	0 19 3	6 12 4	7 2 7
	Incidental	1883–1887	8,449	555	446	18	1,282	10,750	..	..	6,119	3,314	1,267	10,700	10	40	90
		..	1 16 6	0 2 5	0 1 11	0 0 1	0 5 7	2 6 6	..	..	1 16 6	0 14 4	0 5 6	2 6 4	0 0 2	0 1 1	0 1 7
		1888	2,074	146	56	..	151	2,427	..	..	1,547	706	122	2,375	52	90	142
		..	1 15 10	0 2 6	0 1 0	..	0 2 7	2 1 11	..	..	1 6 9	0 12 2	0 2 1	2 1 0	0 0 11	0 1 7	0 2 5
A.N.A.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	12,165	7	971	845	719	14,707	3,301	660	..	..	205	4,166	2,108	1,440	11,981
		..	1 19 3	..	0 3 2	0 2 9	0 2 4	2 7 6	0 10 8	0 2 2	..	..	0 0 8	0 13 6	1 14 0	4 14 5	5 10 2
		1888	6,255	3	312	551	261	7,382	1,643	310	..	..	80	2,033	5,349	11,981	17,330
		..	2 8 5	..	0 2 5	0 4 3	0 2 0	2 17 1	0 12 9	0 2 5	..	..	0 0 7	0 15 9	2 1 4	5 10 2	5 15 9
	Incidental	1883–1887	13,264	525	1,941	190	1,570	17,490	..	..	9,093	6,450	926	16,469	204	346	1,367
		..	2 2 10	0 1 9	0 6 3	0 0 8	0 5 1	2 16 5	..	..	1 9 4	1 0 10	0 3 0	2 13 2	0 3 3	1 2 8	0 12 7
		1888	6,508	116	600	75	540	7,839	..	..	4,364	2,733	454	7,551	288	1,367	1,655
		..	2 10 4	0 0 11	0 4 8	0 0 7	0 4 2	3 0 8	..	..	1 13 9	1 1 2	0 3 6	2 18 5	0 2 3	0 12 7	0 11 1
A.O.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883–1887	213	..	2	185	35	435	223	30	..	..	..	253	36	544	726
		..	1 0 3	..	0 0 2	0 17 8	0 3 4	2 1 5	1 1 3	0 2 10	..	..	..	1 4 1	0 17 4	12 19 1	17 5 9
		1888	45	..	..	50	10	105	38	10	..	..	..	48	57	726	783
		..	1 1 11	..	..	1 4 5	0 4 11	2 11 3	0 18 7	0 4 10	..	..	..	1 3 5	1 7 10	17 5 9	19 11 6
	Incidental	1883–1887	75	..	2	..	15	92	..	..	..	88	56	144	10*	77	25
		..	0 7 2	..	0 0 2	..	0 1 5	0 8 9	..	..	..	0 8 5	0 5 4	0 13 9	0 5 0*	1 16 8	0 11 11
		1888	16	..	..	..	1	17	..	..	..	17	10	27	10*	25	15
		..	0 7 10	..	..	..	0 0 6	0 8 4	..	..	..	0 8 4	0 4 10	0 13 2	0 4 10*	0 11 11	0 7 6

G.S.R.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887	915 1 6 11	.. ..	20 0 0 7	167 0 4 11	319 0 9 5	1,421 2 1 10	498 0 14 8	260 0 7 8	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	758 1 2 4	133 0 19 6	359 3 5 3	1,022 6 5 5
		1888 ..	220 1 6 4	.. ..	16 0 1 11	66 0 7 11	.. ..	302 1 16 2	55 0 6 7	60 0 7 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	115 0 13 9	187 1 2 5	1,022 6 5 5	1,209 7 2 3
	Incidental	1883-1887	1,067 1 11 5	.. ..	144 0 4 3	203 0 6 0	71 0 2 1	1,485 2 3 9	.. ..	.. ..	939 1 7 8	268 0 7 11	390 0 11 5	1,597 2 7 1	22* 0 3 0*	676 6 2 11	564 3 9 2
		1888 ..	258 1 10 11	.. ..	.. ..	35 0 4 2	8 0 1 0	301 1 16 1	.. ..	.. ..	240 1 8 9	61 0 7 4	11 0 1 4	312 1 17 5	11* 0 1 4*	564 3 9 2	553 3 5 1
t. M. T.A.B.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887	286 1 5 5	.. ..	9 0 0 10	24 0 2 1	43 0 3 10	362 1 12 2	282 1 5 1	20 0 1 9	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	302 1 6 10	12 0 5 4	147 3 1 3	207 5 1 0
		1888 ..	64 1 10 6	.. ..	6 0 2 10	6 0 2 10	1 0 0 6	77 1 16 8	61 1 9 0	40 0 19 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	101 2 8 1	24* 0 11 5*	207 5 1 0	183 4 5 1
	Incidental	1883-1887	287 1 5 6	.. ..	9 0 0 10	27 0 2 4	89 0 7 11	412 1 16 7	.. ..	.. ..	222 0 19 9	171 0 15 2	28 0 2 6	421 1 17 5	2* 0 0 10*	35 0 14 7	26 0 12 8
		1888 ..	76 1 16 2	.. ..	6 0 2 10	3 0 1 5	7 0 3 4	92 2 3 9	.. ..	.. ..	40 0 19 1	37 0 17 7	17 0 8 1	94 2 4 9	2* 0 1 0*	26 0 12 8	24 0 11 2
U.L.F.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887	136 0 11 4	.. ..	2 0 0 2	34 0 2 10	.. ..	172 0 14 4	114 0 9 6	36 0 3 0	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	150 0 12 6	4 0 1 10	164 2 12 11	186 5 9 5
		1888 ..	22 0 12 11	.. ..	.. ..	7 0 4 2	.. ..	29 0 17 1	1 0 0 7	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0 0 7	28 0 16 6	186 5 9 5	214 6 5 11
	Incidental	1883-1887	45 0 3 9	12 0 1 0	.. ..	.. ..	18 0 1 6	75 0 6 3	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	62 0 5 2	19 0 1 7	81 0 6 9	1* 0 0 6*	6 0 1 11	.. ..
		1888 ..	8 0 4 9	2 0 1 2	.. ..	.. ..	1 0 0 7	11 0 6 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	11 0 6 6	.. ..	11 0 6 6	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
I.N.F.B.S.	Sick and Funeral ..	1887	86 7 16 5	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	86 7 16 5	8 0 14 7	10 0 18 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	18 1 12 9	68 6 3 8	.. ..	68 3 1 10
		1888 ..	227 3 7 9	.. ..	.. ..	1 0 0 4	.. ..	228 3 8 1	26 0 7 9	40 0 11 11	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	66 0 19 8	162 2 8 5	68 3 1 10	230 2 1 1
	Incidental	1887	66 6 0 0	.. ..	78 7 1 10	.. ..	7 0 12 9	151 13 14 7	.. ..	.. ..	55 5 0 0	89 8 1 10	6 0 10 11	150 13 12 9	1 0 1 10	.. ..	1 0 0 11
		1888 ..	152 2 5 5	.. ..	151 2 5 1	.. ..	14 0 4 2	317 4 14 8	.. ..	.. ..	135 2 0 3	91 1 7 2	49 0 14 8	275 4 2 1	42 0 12 7	1 0 0 11	43 0 7 8
All the Societies	Sick and Funeral ..	1883-1887	409,198 1 11 3	4,309 0 0 4	15,828 0 1 2	148,366 0 11 4	34,046 0 2 7	611,747 2 6 8	303,899 1 3 2	78,527 0 6 0	.. ..	.. ..	21,273 0 1 8	403,699 1 10 10	41,610 0 15 10	466,059 10 6 10	674,107 11 5 8
		1888 ..	103,145 1 13 3	426 0 0 2	2,438 0 0 10	36,699 0 11 10	7,130 0 2 3	149,838 2 8 4	67,347 1 1 9	18,260 0 5 11	.. ..	.. ..	10,420 0 3 4	96,027 1 11 0	53,811 0 17 4	674,107 11 5 8	727,918 11 6 8
	Incidental	1883-1887	410,123 1 11 4	47,851 0 3 8	25,315 0 1 11	5,536 0 0 5	95,226 0 7 3	584,051 2 4 7	.. ..	.. ..	327,644 1 5 0	158,535 0 12 1	84,551 0 6 5	570,730 2 3 6	2,664 0 1 1	26,633 0 11 10	39,954 0 13 5
		1888 ..	107,459 1 14 8	3,908 0 1 3	5,643 0 1 10	1,175 0 0 5	13,905 0 4 6	132,090 2 2 8	.. ..	.. ..	77,923 1 5 2	36,499 0 11 9	17,289 0 5 7	131,711 2 2 6	379 0 0 2	39,954 0 13 5	40,333 0 12 7

NOTE.—The asterisk (*) signifies the excess of the expenditure over the receipts.
The minus sign (—) signifies a debit balance.

TABLE III.—INVESTMENTS.—Funds Invested at the end of 1888, and the Average of the Amounts Invested at the end of each Year of the Preceding Quinquennium, and the Rate of Interest realized per cent. per Annum, in the Sick and Funeral and Incidental Funds, in each Society.

Society.	Fund.	Period.	Funds.						
			At end of each Year.	Invested.		Uninvested.		Proportion invested per cent.	Interest realized per cent.
				On Mortgages and in Banks.	In Halls and other Freehold Property.	Not at Interest.	In use by other Fund.		
			£	£	£	£	£		
M.U.I.O.O.F.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	227,915	192,567	19,395	15,801	152	93·0	5·37
		1888	271,638	227,733	23,431	20,290	184	92·5	5·37
	Incidental	1883–1887	8,724	3,079	1,193	4,415	37	49·0	3·22
		1888	9,505	3,075	2,277	4,153	...	56·3	3·39
G.U.O.O.F.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	29,493	26,726	306	2,440	21	91·7	5·50
		1888	37,444	33,759	579	3,104	2	91·7	5·15
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,634	822	70	742	...	54·6	2·45
		1888	1,652	680	100	872	...	47·2	2·62
I.O.O.F.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	38,684	32,268	4,298	2,038	80	94·5	5·25
		1888	54,483	41,140	11,418	1,822	103	96·5	5·62
	Incidental	1883–1887	4,497	3,258	117	1,122	...	75·1	3·28
		1888	2,298	1,503	7	788	...	65·7	2·27
U.A.O.D.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	33,479	32,260	...	1,139	80	96·4	5·40
		1888	51,298	49,313	...	1,888	97	96·1	5·07
	Incidental	1883–1887	2,681	1,815	...	866	...	67·7	2·14
		1888	4,053	2,900	...	1,153	...	71·6	4·97
A.O.F., Ballarat District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	3,629	2,713	...	475	441	74·8	3·98
		1888	3,708	2,693	...	420	595	72·6	3·99
	Incidental	1883–1887	−408	10	...	−418	...	...	...
		1888	−569	...	...	−569	...	...	...
A.O F., Bendigo District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	8,296	6,449	992	798	57	89·7	5·05
		1888	9,060	7,736	583	524	217	91·8	4·96
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,195	611	285	299	...	75·0	·96
		1888	229	335	...	−106	...	100·0	5·01
A.O.F., Geelong and Western District ...	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	3,658	3,329	174	155	...	95·8	4·77
		1888	4,021	3,901	...	120	...	97·0	5·23
	Incidental	1883–1887	95	14	...	81	...	14·7	0·43
		1888	163	26	...	137	...	16·0	...

A.O.F., Grenville District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	1,636	1,458	58	95	25	92·7	4·63
		1888	1,422	1,228	50	135	9	89·9	5·32
	Incidental	1883–1887	−1	8	...	−9	...	...	...
		1888	3	...	...	3	...	...	...
A.O.F., Melbourne District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	68,449	54,036	10,007	4,402	4	93·6	5·14
		1888	76,867	62,501	8,230	6,136	...	92·0	5·17
	Incidental	1883–1887	3,250	1,520	166	1,564	...	51·9	1·02
		1888	3,397	1,620	100	1,677	...	50·6	1·30
A.O.F., Ovens and Murray District ...	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	3,712	3,153	...	431	128	84·9	4·04
		1888	4,597	4,229	...	315	53	92·0	4·09
	Incidental	1883–1887	9	62	...	−53	...	100·0	...
		1888	108	49	...	59	...	45·4	1·98
A.O.F., Portland District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	8,188	6,320	1,580	284	4	96·5	4·42
		1888	8,821	6,849	1,621	345	6	96·0	4·30
	Incidental	1883–1887	270	68	75	127	...	53·0	3·93
		1888	317	225	...	92	...	71·0	...
A.O.F., Warrnambool District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	1,820	1,680	...	137	3	92·3	5·86
		1888	2,378	2,378	...	...	...	100·0	5·66
	Incidental	1883–1887	43	3	...	40	...	7·0	...
		1888	47	1	...	46	...	2·1	...
A.O.F., Court Unity	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	5,321	5,248	...	73	...	98·6	6·84
		1888	5,441	5,343	...	98	...	98·2	6·91
	Incidental	1883–1887	9	...	...	9	...	...	...
		1888	23	...	...	23	...	...	...
A.O.F., Court Freedom	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	1,549	1,505	...	35	9	97·2	6·83
		1888	1,258	1,195	...	63	...	95·0	8·08
	Incidental	1883–1887	−8	...	...	−8	...	...	...
		1888	2	...	...	2	...	...	...
A.O.F., Court Ararat	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	912	866	...	46	...	95·0	5·89
		1888	1,101	1,046	...	55	...	95·0	5·92
	Incidental	1883–1887	7	...	...	7	...	...	...
		1888	5	...	...	5	...	...	...
A.O.F., Court Amherst	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	513	217	284	12	...	97·7	1·65
		1888	502	150	352	...	...	100·0	1·81
	Incidental	1883–1887	10	..	...	10	...	...	...
		1888	7	4	...	3	...	57·1	...

TABLE III.—INVESTMENTS.—Funds invested at the end of 1888, and the Average of the Amounts Invested at the end of each Year of the Preceding Quinquennium, and the Rate of Interest realized per cent. per Annum, in the Sick and Funeral and Incidental Funds, in each Society—*continued.*

Society.	Fund.	Period.	Funds.					Proportion invested per cent.	Interest realized per cent.
			At end of each Year.	Invested.		Uninvested.			
				On Mortgages and in Banks.	In Halls and other Freehold Property.	Not at Interest.	In use by other Fund.		
			£	£	£	£	£		
I.O.R.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	74,191	67,308	3,579	3,105	199	95·5	5·26
		1888	94,101	85,826	5,186	2,956	133	96·7	5·17
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,456	930	43	467	16	66·8	5·48
		1888	1,809	947	213	649	...	64·1	4·50
O.S.T.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	17,485	13,379	2,283	1,650	173	89·6	4·25
		1888	22,225	18,520	2,075	1,492	138	92·7	4·63
	Incidental	1883–1887	930	395	212	323	...	65·3	2·17
		1888	845	276	230	339	...	59·9	5·38
H.A.C.B.S.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	16,759	14,848	...	1,687	224	88·6	5·32
		1888	20,935	18,615	...	2,157	163	88·9	5·99
	Incidental	1883–1887	1,818	1,179	...	639	...	64·9	2·47
		1888	2,439	1,674	...	765	...	68·6	2·50
O.St.A.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	4,128	3,187	87	731	123	79·3	4·17
		1888	4,610	3,723	...	834	53	80·8	3·85
	Incidental	1883–1887	552	507	10	35	...	93·7	5·87
		1888	475	369	...	106	...	77·7	6·71
O.St.A., S.C.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	3,283	3,029	...	231	23	92·3	4·67
		1888	3,651	3,416	...	235	...	93·6	4·78
	Incidental	1883–1887	501	261	15	225	...	55·1	3·26
		1888	651	442	...	209	...	67·9	2·10
G.U.O.F.G.	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	4,858	4,029	152	631	46	86·1	4·27
		1888	6,851	5,459	200	1,150	42	82·6	4·68
	Incidental	1883–1887	227	107	...	120	...	47·1	1·99
		1888	321	122	...	199	...	38·0	3·35
St.P.S., Melbourne District	Sick and Funeral ...	1883–1887	8,952	7,869	667	405	11	95·4	5·33
		1888	10,921	10,459	...	317	145	95·8	5·65
	Incidental	1883–1887	6,166	737	5,368	61	...	99·0	4·85
		1888	10,062	201	10,000	−139	...	100·0	1·45

St.P.S., Geelong and Western District	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	1,838	1,838	...	...	...	100·0	5·44
		1888	2,112	2,112	...	...	...	100·0	5·85
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	65	64	...	1	...	98·5	...
		1888	59	59	...	...	...	100·0	...
P.A.F.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	5,662	4,508	60	800	294	80·7	4·55
		1888	8,524	6,841	200	1,182	301	82·6	5·13
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	116	204	...	−93	5	100·0	5·54
		1888	142	204	...	−62	...	100·0	...
A.N.A.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	6,135	4,620	...	1,341	174	75·3	2·52
		1888	17,330	13,023	...	3,885	422	75·1	3·76
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	1,024	802	...	222	...	78·3	4·44
		1888	1,655	1,477	...	178	...	89·0	4·97
A.O.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	663	616	...	47	...	92·9	5·83
		1888	783	690	...	93	...	88·1	6·62
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	46	3	...	43	...	6·5	...
		1888	15	5	...	10	...	33·3	...
G.S.R.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	641	536	...	105	...	83·6	4·84
		1888	1,209	982	...	227	...	81·2	5·91
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	665	458	139	68	...	89·8	6·55
		1888	553	506	...	47	...	91·5	6·26
St.M.T.A.B.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	199	176	...	23	...	88·4	2·71
		1888	183	180	...	3	...	98·4	3·08
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	32	...	4	28	...	...	17·65
		1888	24	20	...	4	...	83·3	12·00
U.L.F.S.	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	181	176	...	5	...	97·2	3·89
		1888	214	202	...	11	1	94·4	3·50
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	2	...	...	2	...	...	...
		1888	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
I.N.F.B.S.	Sick and Funeral	1887	68	...	...	68	...	...	...
		1888	230	53	...	168	9	23·0	0·67
	Incidental ...	1887	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
		1888	43	15	...	28	...	34·9	...
All the Societies	Sick and Funeral	1883–1887	582,297	496,914	43,922	39,190	2,271	92·9	5·25
		1888	727,918	621,295	53,925	50,025	2,673	92·8	5·24
	Incidental ...	1883–1887	35,608	16,917	7,697	10,936	58	69·1	3·33
		1888	40,333	16,735	12,927	10,671	...	73·5	2.93

The minus sign (-) signifies a debit balance.

TABLE IV. — EXPERIENCE. — Rates of Sickness, Mortality and Departures in 1888 and the Preceding Quinquennium (Annual Average), and Exclusions in 1888 only, in each Society.

Society.	Period.	Sickness.									Mortality.					Departures by Arrears, Resignation, Expulsion and Clearance.		Exclusions by Arrears, Resignation and Expulsion.	
		Members Sick.		Duration.			Sick Pay.				Members.		Wives.						
		Number.	Per 1,000 Effective Members.	Number of Weeks.	Per Sick Member.	Per Effective Member.	Per Sick Member.	Per Effective Member.	Per Week.		Per 1,000 Members.	Per 1,000 Effective Members.	Number of Deaths.	Per 1,000 Members.	Per 1,000 Effective Members.	Per 1,000 Members.	Per 1,000 Effective Members.	Per 1,000 Members.	Per 1,000 Effective Members.
					wks. dys.	wks. dys.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.										
M.U.I.O.O.F.	1883–1887	13,913	188·3	120,436	8 4	1 4	6 16 0	1 5 7	0 15 8		10·73	12·10	509	6·11	6·89	65·23	73·53	...	...
	1888	3,048	181·5	28,264	9 2	1 4	7 0 1	1 5 5	0 15 1		10·35	11·73	118	6·20	7·03	76·23	86·39	61·57	69·78
G.U.O.O.F.	1883–1887	3,299	214·2	23,563	7 1	1 3	5 11 9	1 3 11	0 15 8		10·43	12·40	65	3·55	4·22	114·74	136·45	...	...
	1888	664	199·4	5,517	8 2	1 4	6 5 0	1 4 11	0 15 1		10·89	13·51	15	3·63	4·50	85·45	106·01	75·53	93·69
I.O.O.F.	1883–1887	4,188	192·5	24,900	6 0	1 1	5 5 10	1 0 5	0 17 10		9·09	11·58	152	5·49	6·98	123·78	157·63	...	...
	1888	985	183·1	6,045	6 1	1 1	5 6 5	0 19 6	0 17 4		11·13	14·13	37	5·42	6·88	109·99	139·62	91·24	115·82
U.A.O.D.	1883–1887	4,534	191·9	30,032	6 4	1 2	5 5 1	1 0 2	0 15 11		10·85	14·05	186	6·08	7·87	169·91	220·06	...	...
	1888	1,065	164·5	6,963	6 3	1 0	4 19 10	0 16 5	0 15 3		9·65	11·89	48	6·02	7·41	124·23	153·05	106·93	131·74
A.O.F., Ballarat District	1883–1887	569	276·2	5,195	9 1	2 3	6 5 5	1 14 8	0 13 9		17·13	17·96	12	5·56	5·82	60·19	63·11	...	...
	1888	93	237·3	855	9 1	2 1	6 0 3	1 8 7	0 13 1		22·01	22·96	4	9·78	10·20	53·79	56·12	41·56	43·37
A.O.F., Bendigo District	1883–1887	1,493	240·0	14,524	9 4	2 2	6 13 5	1 12 0	0 13 9		23·14	23·96	50	7·76	8·04	56·52	58·52	...	...
	1888	269	237·6	2,529	9 2	2 1	6 4 10	1 9 8	0 13 3		20·57	21·20	9	7·71	7·95	40·27	41·52	36·85	37·99
A.O.F., Geelong and Western District...	1883–1887	285	191·3	2,412	8 3	1 4	5 9 7	1 1 0	0 13 0		13·75	14·77	9	5·63	6·05	56·88	61·07	...	...
	1888	71	222·6	695	9 5	2 1	6 12 1	1 9 5	0 13 6		17·09	18·81	1	2·85	3·13	39·89	43·89	39·89	43·89
A.O.F., Grenville District	1883–1887	170	317·8	1,213	7 1	2 2	5 17 5	1 17 4	0 16 6		13·33	14·95	5	8·33	9·35	46·67	52·34	...	...
	1888	27	272·7	235	8 4	2 2	5 14 9	1 11 4	0 13 2		18·87	20·20	...	...	...	18·87	20·20	18·87	20·20
A.O.F., Melbourne District	1883–1887	7,396	202·5	57,559	7 5	1 3	5 14 0	1 3 1	0 14 8		13·06	14·24	314	7·89	8·60	66·09	72·04	...	...
	1888	1,543	180·6	13,045	8 3	1 3	6 0 7	1 1 9	0 14 3		14·20	15·80	66	6·94	7·72	68·06	75·71	59·96	66·70
A.O.F., Ovens and Murray District ...	1883–1887	220	193·8	923	4 1	0 5	3 17 5	0 15 0	0 18 5		9·27	10·57	7	5·41	6·17	86·49	98·69	...	...
	1888	33	148·0	113	3 3	0 3	3 4 10	0 9 7	0 18 11		...	...	...	...	...	84·00	94·17	76·00	85·20
A.O.F., Portland District	1883–1887	445	200·0	3,833	8 4	1 4	6 3 0	1 4 7	0 14 4		9·70	10·34	15	6·33	6·74	44·30	47·19	...	...
	1888	90	201·8	878	9 5	2 0	6 7 7	1 5 9	0 13 1		16·99	17·94	4	8·49	8·97	25·48	26·91	23·35	24·65
A.O.F., Warrnambool District ...	1883–1887	83	169·4	415	5 0	0 5	3 19 6	0 13 6	0 15 11		5·88	6·12	...	...	...	60·78	63·27	...	...
	1888	15	147·1	115	7 4	1 1	7 8 0	1 1 9	0 19 4		...	...	...	...	...	47·16	49·02	47·16	49·02
A.O.F., Court Unity	1883–1887	317	321·8	4,220	13 2	4 2	8 1 5	2 11 11	0 12 2		24·39	25·38	4	3·90	4·06	16·59	17·26	...	...
	1888	54	301·7	942	17 3	5 2	9 3 4	2 15 4	0 10 6		36·84	39·11	5	26·32	27·93	26·32	27·93	26·32	27·93
A.O.F., Court Freedom	1883–1887	190	413·1	2,249	11 5	5 0	8 16 6	3 12 11	0 14 11		41·30	41·30	2	4·35	4·35	21·74	21·74	...	...
	1888	31	397·4	390	12 3	5 0	8 14 10	3 9 6	0 13 11		50·63	51·28	...	...	...	25·32	25·64	12·66	12·82

A.O.F., Court Ararat	1883–1887	52	208·0	452	8 4	1 5	6 8 10	1 6 10	0 14 10	11·54	12·00	...	...	...	46·15	48·00	...	...
	1888	10	222·2	55	5 3	1 1	4 6 0	0 19 1	0 15 8	19·61	22·22	...	...	...	78·43	88·89	58·82	66·66
A.O.F., Court Amherst	1883–1887	34	200·0	196	5 4	1 1	5 10 6	1 2 1	0 19 2	17·14	17·65	1	5·71	5·88	51·43	52·94	...	...
	1888	4	148·1	14	3 3	0 3	3 10 0	0 10 4	1 0 0	35·71	37·04	...	...	...	142·86	148·15	107·14	111·11
I.O.R.	1883–1887	5,342	190·3	39,135	7 2	1 2	5 19 5	1 2 9	0 16 4	7·80	9·41	18	0·53	0·64	115·51	139·28	...	...
	1888	1,182	181·6	9,133	7 4	1 2	6 1 10	1 2 1	0 15 9	7·43	9·37	8	0·97	1·23	126·78	159·91	102·06	128·72
O.S.T.	1883-1887	1,542	183·6	11,489	7 3	1 2	4 17 3	0 17 10	0 13 1	4·71	6·43	25	2·18	2·98	149·37	204·05	...	...
	1888	328	174·3	2,358	7 1	1 2	4 6 11	0 15 2	0 12 1	8·34	11·69	10	3·79	5·31	162·62	227·95	143·67	201·38
H.A.C.B.S....	1883–1887	2,859	204·5	19,470	6 5	1 2	5 11 0	1 2 8	0 16 4	11·63	13·66	130	7·92	9·30	86·92	102·07	...	...
	1888	642	191·7	4,377	6 4	1 2	5 9 4	1 1 0	0 16 0	10·72	12·54	19	4·85	5·67	85·01	99·46	66·64	77·93
O.St.A.	1883–1887	824	195·7	6,123	7 2	1 3	5 15 11	1 2 8	0 15 7	21·44	23·99	53	11·25	12·59	115·07	128·74	...	...
	1888	144	173·1	1,131	7 5	1 2	6 0 7	1 0 10	0 15 4	12·50	14·42	7	7·29	8·41	128·13	147·84	121·87	140·63
O.St.A., S.C.	1883–1887	277	176·4	2,354	8 3	1 3	6 16 0	1 4 0	0 16 0	16·17	17·20	13	7·79	8·28	75·45	80·25	...	...
	1888	49	160·7	561	11 3	1 5	6 11 0	1 1 0	0 11 5	18·63	19·67	5	15·53	16·38	31·06	32·79	31·06	32·79
G.U.O.F.G.	1883–1887	594	187·4	3,600	6 4	1 1	5 8 9	1 0 5	0 18 0	11·19	15·14	27	6·29	8·52	181·59	245·74	...	...
	1888	129	174·1	697	5 2	1 0	4 14 2	0 16 5	0 17 5	9·46	13·50	3	2·54	4·05	149·48	213·23	123·92	176·79
St.P.S., Melbourne District	1883–1887	528	222·3	3,796	7 1	1 4	6 10 1	1 8 11	0 18 1	20·07	23·16	30	10·95	12·63	96·35	111·16	...	...
	1888	118	219·3	1,066	9 0	2 0	6 7 10	1 8 0	0 14 2	11·16	13·01	1	1·59	1·86	79·74	92·94	79·74	92·94
St.P.S., Geelong and Western District...	1883–1887	124	155·0	1,491	12 0	1 5	8 5 0	1 5 7	0 13 9	14·85	16·25	3	3·43	3·75	25·14	27·50	...	...
	1888	33	195·2	324	9 5	1 5	5 12 2	1 1 11	0 11 5	5·26	5·91	...	...	...	15·79	17·75	15·79	17·75
P.A.F.S.	1883–1887	840	181·6	5,656	6 4	1 1	4 13 9	0 17 0	0 13 11	11·47	14·05	21	3·71	4·54	130·74	147·89	...	...
	1888	156	134·7	1,272	8 1	1 1	5 5 3	0 14 2	0 12 11	7·62	9·50	11	7·62	9·50	124·05	154·58	108·11	134·71
A.N.A.	1883–1887	747	120·5	3,436	4 4	0 3	4 8 5	0 10 8	0 19 3	3·89	8·06	15	1·17	2·42	165·73	344·03	...	...
	1888	395	152·8	1,728	4 2	0 3	4 3 5	0 12 9	0 19 0	3·54	6·96	9	1·77	3·48	191·38	376·40	152·21	298·26
A.O.S.	1883–1887	45	214·3	336	7 3	1 4	4 19 1	1 1 3	0 13 3	9·52	9·52	3	14·29	14·29	28·57	28·57	...	...
	1888	10	244·0	90	9 0	2 1	3 16 0	0 18 7	0 8 5	23·81	24·39	...	...	...	23·81	24·39	23·81	24·39
G.S.R.S.	1883–1887	88	129·4	586	6 4	0 5	5 13 2	0 14 8	0 17 0	11·11	11·76	10	13·89	14·71	37·50	39·71	...	...
	1888	18	107·8	70	3 5	0 2	3 1 0	0 6 7	0 15 9	11·63	11·98	2	11·63	11·98	11·98	11·98	11·98	11·98
St.M.T.A.B.S.	1883–1887	45	200·0	642	14 2	2 5	6 5 4	1 5 1	0 8 9	4·35	4·44	...	...	...	95·66	97·78	...	...
	1888	10	238·1	111	11 1	2 4	6 2 0	1 9 0	0 11 0	41·67	47·62	...	...	...	83·33	95·24	83·33	95·24
U.L.F.S.	1883–1887	30	125·0	173	5 4	0 4	3 16 0	0 9 6	0 13 2	12·50	12·50	3	12·50	12·50	129·17	129·17	...	...
	1888	1	29·4	2	2 0	...	1 0 0	0 0 7	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
I.N.F.B.S.	1887	1	90·9	15	15 0	1 2	8 0 0	0 14 7	0 10 8	30·30	90·91	...	...	...	303·03	909·09	...	...
	1888	10	149·2	27	2 4	0 2	2 12 0	0 7 9	0 19 3	19·23	44·78	1	6·41	14·93	217·95	507·40	217·95	507·40
All the Societies	1883–1887	51,074	194·9	390,424	7 4	1 3	5 19 0	1 3 2	0 15 7	10·79	12·89	1,682	5·41	6·42	100·40	119·84	...	...
	1888	11,227	181·1	89,602	8 0	1 3	6 0 0	1 1 9	0 15 0	10·45	12·74	383	5·07	6·18	101·49	123·75	84·80	103·41

Aggregate Figures of all the Friendly Societies in Victoria in each of the Eleven Years 1878–1888.

Table V.—Societies, Branches and Members in each year 1878–1888.

Year.	Societies.	Branches.	Members.					
			Admitted.	Died.	Left by Clearance, Arrears, &c.	At Beginning of Period.	At End of Period.	Average Number.
1878	34	756	5,130	467	4,419	45,430	45,674	45,552
1879	34	766	5,225	452	5,079	45,674	45,368	45,521
1880	32	748	5,839	425	4,397	45,368	46,385	45,876
1881	32	759	7,724	571	4,107	46,385	49,431	47,908
1882	32	762	8,445	666	4,610	49,431	52,660	51,045
1883	32	776	10,397	593	4,962	52,660	57,502	55,081
1884	31	788	9,285	640	5,930	57,502	60,217	58,859
1885	31	817	10,346	631	5,802	60,217	64,130	62,173
1886	29	856	12,445	703	6,392	64,130	69,480	66,805
1887	31	891	12,437	801	8,600	69,480	72,516	70,998
1888	32	930	14,601	790	7,671	72,516	78,656	75,586
1878–88	..	..	101,874	6,679	61,969	45,430	78,656	..

Table VI.—Receipts, Expenditure and Funds, and Amount per Member, in each year 1878–1888.

Year.	Receipts.				Expenditure.						Excess of Receipts over Expenditure.	Funds at Beginning of Period.	Funds at End of Period.
	Contributions, Entrance Fees, and Levies.	Interest.	Sundries.	Total.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Benefits.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Management.	Sundries.	Total.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1878	131,019	18,015	12,845	161,879	45,141	11,412	47,131	25,374	10,992	140,050	21,829	367,079	388,908
..	2 17 6	0 7 11	0 5 8	3 11 1	0 19 10	0 5 0	1 0 8	0 11 2	0 4 10	3 1 6	0 9 7	8 1 7	8 10 4
1879	130,245	20,981	18,491	169,717	47,257	11,031	47,467	24,842	15,196	145,793	23,924	388,908	412,832
..	2 17 2	0 9 3	0 8 1	3 14 6	1 0 9	0 4 10	1 0 10	0 10 11	0 6 8	3 4 0	0 10 6	8 10 4	9 2 0
1880	132,061	22,612	15,688	170,361	46,157	10,083	47,354	25,014	14,858	143,466	26,895	412,832	439,727
..	2 17 7	0 9 10	0 6 10	3 14 3	1 0 1	0 4 5	1 0 8	0 10 11	0 6 6	3 2 7	0 11 8	9 2 0	9 9 7
1881	139,085	22,577	17,609	179,271	49,219	13,276	49,716	25,891	16,376	154,478	24,793	439,727	464,520
..	2 18 1	0 9 5	0 7 4	3 14 10	1 0 7	0 5 6	1 0 9	0 10 10	0 6 10	3 4 6	0 10 4	9 9 7	9 7 11
1882	149,991	24,490	19,063	193,544	50,489	12,996	53,397	27,544	20,506	164,932	28,612	464,520	493,132
..	2 18 9	0 9 7	0 7 6	3 15 10	0 19 9	0 5 1	1 1 0	0 10 10	0 8 0	3 4 8	0 11 2	9 7 11	9 7 3
1883	161,310	25,386	23,141	209,837	55,002	14,191	57,608	28,342	21,509	176,652	33,185	493,132	526,317
..	2 18 7	0 9 2	0 8 5	3 16 2	0 19 11	0 5 2	1 0 11	0 10 4	0 7 10	3 4 2	0 12 0	9 7 3	9 3 1
1884	172,853	29,104	23,710	225,667	55,196	14,592	62,060	29,891	20,292	182,031	43,636	526,317	569,953
..	2 18 9	0 9 11	0 8 0	3 16 8	0 18 9	0 4 11	1 1 1	0 10 2	0 6 11	3 1 10	0 14 10	9 3 1	9 9 4
1885	181,210	30,815	22,433	234,458	61,296	14,976	65,135	31,555	17,860	190,822	43,636	569,953	613,589
..	2 18 3	0 9 11	0 7 3	3 15 5	0 19 8	0 4 10	1 1 0	0 10 2	0 5 9	3 1 5	0 14 0	9 9 4	9 11 5
1886	193,911	32,010	33,050	258,971	63,499	17,118	69,901	33,278	22,994	206,790	52,181	613,589	665,770
..	2 18 0	0 9 7	0 9 11	3 17 6	0 19 0	0 5 2	1 1 0	0 9 10	0 6 11	3 1 11	0 15 7	9 11 5	9 11 8
1887	203,559	36,608	26,939	267,106	69,045	17,650	73,903	35,525	23,592	218,815	48,291	665,770	714,061
..	2 17 4	0 10 4	0 7 7	3 15 3	0 19 5	0 5 0	1 0 7	0 10 0	0 6 8	3 1 8	0 13 7	9 11 8	9 16 11
1888	223,019	37,874	21,035	281,928	67,347	18,260	77,923	36,499	27,709	227,738	54,190	714,061	768,251
..	2 19 0	0 10 0	0 5 7	3 14 7	0 17 10	0 4 10	1 0 7	0 9 8	0 7 4	3 0 3	0 14 4	9 16 11	9 15 4
1878–88	1,818,263	300,472	234,004	2,352,739	609,648	155,585	650,695	323,755	211,884	1,951,567	401,172	367,079	768,251
..	2 18 1	0 9 6	0 7 6	3 15 1	0 19 7	0 5 0	1 0 10	0 10 5	0 6 9	3 2 7	0 12 6	8 1 7	9 15 4

Table VII.—Investments in each year 1878–1888.

Year.	Funds.					
	Total.	Invested on Mortgages and in Bank Deposits.	Invested in Halls and other Freehold Property.	Not invested.	Proportion invested.	Interest realized.
	£	£	£	£	Per cent.	Per cent.
1878	388,908	304,641	44,062	40,265	89·7	4·76
1879	412,832	328,426	47,856	36,550	91·1	5·23
1880	439,727	346,581	48,565	44,581	89·9	5·30
1881	464,520	367,918	47,168	49,434	89·4	4·99
1882	493,132	400,968	44,846	47,318	90·4	5·11
1883	526,317	429,157	51,588	45,572	91·3	4·98
1884	569,953	465,984	47,245	56,724	90·0	5·31
1885	613,589	510,897	46,530	56,162	90·8	5·21
1886	665,770	559,112	57,547	49,111	92·6	5·00
1887	714,061	604,360	55,117	54,584	92·4	5·31
1888	768,251	638,030	66,852	63,369	91·8	5·11
Average ..	..	..	..	..	90·9	5·12

TABLE VIII.—EXPERIENCE in each year 1878–1888.

Year.	Sickness.								Mortality.			Departures per 1,000 Members.
	Members Sick.		Duration.			Sick Pay.			Of Members.	Of Wives.		
	Number.	Per 1,000 Members.	Number of Weeks.	Per Sick Member.	Per Member.	Per Sick Member.	Per Member.	Per Week.	Per 1,000 Members.	Number of Deaths.	Per 1,000 Members.	
				wks. dys.	working days.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.				
1878	8,207	180·2	55,289	6 4	7·3	5 10 0	0 19 10	16 4	10·25	291	6·39	97·01
1879	8,519	187·1	58,974	6 5	7·8	5 10 11	1 0 9	16 0	9·93	240	5·27	111·57
1880	8,310	181·1	58,443	7 0	7·6	5 11 1	1 0 1	15 10	9·26	218	4·75	95·85
1881	8,554	178·5	62,174	7 2	7·8	5 15 0	1 0 7	15 10	11·92	288	6·01	85·73
1882	8,966	175·7	64,311	7 1	7·6	5 12 7	0 19 9	15 8	11·87	277	5·43	90·31
1883	9,482	172·1	70,722	7 3	7·7	5 16 0	0 19 11	15 7	10·77	321	5·83	90·09
1884	9,286	157·8	71,907	7 4	7·3	5 18 11	0 18 9	15 4	10·87	326	5·54	100·75
1885	10,920	175·6	78,642	7 1	7·6	5 12 3	0 19 8	15 7	10·15	353	5·68	93·32
1886	10,177	152·3	80,621	7 5	7·2	6 4 9	0 19 0	15 9	10·52	362	5·42	95·68
1887	11,209	157·9	88,532	7 5	7·5	6 3 0	0 19 5	15 7	11·28	321	4·52	121·13
1888	11,227	148·5	89,602	8 0	7·1	6 0 0	0 17 10	15 0	10·45	383	5·07	84·80
Average ...	...	169·7	...	7 2	7·5	5 15 10	0 19 7	15 8	10·66	...	5·45	96·93

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